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Introduction

A Database on POW Health Issues

The Center for Naval Analyses (CNA) is conducting a study for the Naval Operational Medicine Institute (NOMI) in support of its Mitchell Center for Prisoner of War Studies. As part of this effort, we are helping the center develop and conduct a long-term research agenda on the effects of captivity. To provide background information to researchers working on issues related to the long-term effects of the POW experience, CNA is maintaining an electronic catalogue of literature that relates to POW health. Internet users can access our web site at the following address: <http://www.cna.org/rpow/Biblio2.htm>.

The Robert E. Mitchell Center for Prisoner of War Studies

CNA is pursuing many initiatives under the Repatriated Prisoner of War Health Study (RPOW Health Study), sponsored by the Robert E. Mitchell Center for Prisoner of War Studies at NOMI in Pensacola, Florida. The Mitchell Center succeeds the Center for Prisoner of War Studies (CPWS), which was created by Congress in 1971 to prepare for the repatriation and readjustment of Americans held as prisoners in Southeast Asia. CPWS administered physical and psychological exams to the Vietnam-era RPOWs between 1973 and 1977. During that time, CPWS also worked closely with the RPOWs and their families and acted as a resource for those experiencing stress, illnesses, or personal problems. In 1977, the original center was disbanded; the RPOW records were boxed and shipped to NOMI. At that time, the medical and psychological follow-ups were terminated for Army and Air Force RPOWs.

The Navy and Marine Corps, however, continued to monitor and treat their RPOWs at the Pensacola facility. For more than 15 years, Dr. Robert E. Mitchell was the sole physician treating these service-

men and gathering data on their health. Despite the limited resources of the operation, the services provided at Pensacola proved to be of great value. More than two-thirds of the Navy and Marine Corps RPOWs continue to volunteer for annual evaluation and treatment at Pensacola.

Recently, we have seen renewed interest in studying the health of our Vietnam-era RPOWs. The Department of Veterans Affairs and the Navy have provided small amounts of funding to begin preserving the RPOW data in electronic form and to initiate research. Starting in the mid-1990s, NOMI began conducting physical and psychological exams for the Army and Air Force RPOWs who had not been seen since the late 1970s. In January 1998, the Mitchell Center for Prisoner of War Studies was stood up.

These recent initiatives are intended to ensure that the Vietnam-era RPOWs are receiving appropriate medical care and that we learn from their experiences and health conditions so that we may improve treatment of future RPOWs. Most of the Vietnam-era RPOWs are out of the military and are beginning to experience the illnesses and disabilities associated with aging. It is likely that many will suffer conditions that are aggravated by their experiences as POWs: a significant number are already suffering traumatic osteoarthritis and nerve damage problems arising from torture. It is important that we preserve information on how the RPOWs adapted to imprisonment, coped with torture, and readjusted after repatriation, as well as on the course of their long-term health. This information will offer invaluable insights for those setting future policy on the care of RPOWs.

Conducting Research With the Mitchell Center Data on RPOW Health

The Mitchell Center hopes that the data it is collecting on POW health will support high-quality research to benefit the following four groups:

- The current cohorts of repatriated POWs
- Future groups of POWs

- Other military personnel, particularly those who suffer the trauma of war
- The larger population, especially those who suffer torture.

The Mitchell Center allows selected researchers access to these data for the study of POW health.

Using the Literature Database

To facilitate use of the database by researchers, we have organized it by topic and title of journal article. The majority of entries are from peer-reviewed journals. Many of the citations for these articles, along with their abstracts, reside at the National Library of Medicine Electronic database, PubMed. Because the abstracts for these articles are often copyrighted and cannot be directly included in the RPOW Health Study database, we have linked citations listed on our web site to the abstracts or further information in PubMed. Clicking on the “Details” hot link that appears after the title of many citations will take users to the specific citation in PubMed where they can examine the abstract (where available), look at the Medical Subject Headings (MeSH)¹ terms associated with the piece, and order the article. Researchers can then return to the Mitchell Center database by clicking on the “Back” key. Our links page also provides access to PILOTS, the database of the National Center for PTSD (NCPTSD).²

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1. PubMed Help provides more information on searching by MeSH terms. The National Library of Medicine updates this list of more than 19,000 terms annually to reflect changes in medicine and medical terminology.
 2. Users of the RPOW Health Study web site need to be aware of the limitations on the use of PubMed and NCPTSD material. Please consult the advisory notices that appear at these web sites.

RPOW Bibliography

The following citations come from various sources, but the main source is PubMed. The National Library of Medicine maintains PubMed, a searchable database of medical journal articles. Throughout our online bibliography are "Details" links that will take you to the specific citation in PubMed where you can order the article. In the pages that follow, such citations carry the statement, "further information available on the web."

Diet and Nutrition

Food Aversion and the American POW

Biss RI. Air Command and Staff Col Maxwell AFB AL, DOD publication, May 1974.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Food, Prisoners of war, Vietnam, Military personnel, United States, Food consumption, Nutrition, Food deprivation, Rejection, Air Force research, Feasibility studies, Research management

No PMID/MUID

Probable Vitamin Deficiency States Among Future U.S. POWs in the Middle East.

[EDITORIAL] (further information available on the web)

Skelton WP 3d, Skelton NK. No Affiliation Available, Mil Med 1991 Nov; 156(11):642-644;

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Human, Middle East, Prisoners, United States/ethnology, Vitamin A Deficiency/diagnosis, Vitamin A Deficiency/complications, Vitamin B Deficiency/diagnosis, Vitamin B Deficiency/complications, War

PMID: 1771019-- MUID: 92123477

Malnutrition and Subsequent Ischemic Heart Disease in Former Prisoners of War of World War II and the Korean Conflict. (further information available on the web)

Page WF, Ostfeld AM. Medical Follow-up Agency, Institute of Medicine, National Academy of Sciences-Washington, DC 20418-USA, J Clin Epidemiol 1994 Dec; 47(12):1437-1441.

Brief Description: Researchers looked at malnutrition and heart disease in former POWs from World War II and the Korean conflict. They found a proportionally high incidence rate of ischemic heart disease when the POW complained of lower limb edema.

Keywords: Edema/etiology, Human, Korea, Male, Myocardial Ischemia/etiology, Nutrition Disorders/complications, Prisoners, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. , Vitamin B Deficiency/complications, War

PMID: 7730852-- MUID: 95248337

Follow-up Studies of World War II and Korean War Prisoners. II. Morbidity-Disability, and Maladjustments (See also Morbidity) (further information available on the web)

Beebe GW. No Affiliation Available. Am J Epidemiol 1975 May; 101(5):400-422.

Brief Description: Researchers looked at somatic and psychiatric sequelae in former POWs from World War II and the Korean War. They found a high incidence of both somatic and psychiatric sequelae in WWII POWs from the Pacific theater as opposed to those from the European theater who suffered only from psychiatric sequelae.

Keywords: Aged, Body Weight, Cornell Medical Index Disabled, Emotions, Family Characteristics, Follow-Up Studies, Hospitalization, Human, Infection/epidemiology, Korea, Male, Middle Age, Morbidity, Neoplasm's/epidemiology, Neurotic Disorders/epidemiology, Nutrition Disorders/epidemiology, Parasitic Diseases/epidemiology, Prisoners, Psychotic Disorders/epidemiology, Questionnaires, Racial Stocks, Schizophrenia/epidemiology, Social Adjustment, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. , Time Factors, United States, Veterans Disability Claims, War

PMID: 124131-- MUID: 75162155

Clinical and Subclinical Nutritional Neurological Damage in Former War Prisoners of the Japanese. (further information available on the web)

Venables GS, Welch JL, Gill GV. No Affiliation Available. Trans R Soc Trop Med Hyg 1985; 79(3):412-414.

Brief Description: Researchers investigated five former POWs of the Japanese, each of whom had a single neurological problem due to malnutrition. Upon reinvestigation

at a later time, each subject retained his original problem and each had developed additional neurological diseases.

Keywords: Aged, Basal Ganglia Diseases/etiology, Dementia/etiology, Evoked Potentials, Visual, Human, Japan, Male, Middle Age, Nervous System Diseases/etiology, Nutrition Disorders/complications, Optic Atrophy/etiology, Peripheral Nervous System Diseases/etiology, Prisoners, Time Factors, War

PMID: 2994264-- MUID: 85301407

Are Malnutrition and Stress Risk Factors For Accelerated Cognitive Decline? A Prisoner of War Study. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Sulway MR, Broe GA, Creasey H, Dent OF, Jorm AF, Kos SC, Tennant CC. Centre for Education and Research on Aging, Concord Hospital, Sydney-Australia, Neurology 1996 Mar; 46(3):650-655.

Brief Description: Researchers looked at malnutrition and stress in Australian POWs held by the Japanese in WWII. The study did not correlate malnutrition with an accelerated cognitive decline and did not associate severe stress with hippocampal neuronal loss and cognitive defects.

Keywords: Aged, Aged, 80 and over, Cognition Disorders/etiology, Comparative Study, Dementia/epidemiology, Depression/epidemiology, Depression/diagnosis, Human, Neuro-psychological Tests, Nutrition Disorders/complications, Prevalence, Prisoners/psychology, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Reference Values, Risk Factors, Stress/complications, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, War, Weight Loss

PMID: 8618661-- MUID: 96173670

Nutrient Intake of the Repatriated United States Army, Navy and Marine Corps Prisoner-of-War of the Vietnam War.

Hill TM, Nelson RA, Consolazio CF, Canham JE. Letterman Army Inst Of Research San Francisco Calif, Department of Defense Publication, Nov 1978.

Brief Description: Researchers examined data from Operation Homecoming and compared the diets of prisoners of war from North and South Vietnam. They found that POWs from the South had poorer diets than their counterparts in the North.

Keywords: Diet, Nutrition, Prisoners of War, Army personnel, Naval personnel, Marine Corps personnel, South Vietnam, North Vietnam, Statistical data, Operation homecoming,

No PMID/MUID

Family Health (Physical and Psychological)

The Longitudinal Studies of Prisoners of War and Their Families. The Prisoner of War and His Family. The Captivity Experience of American Prisoners of War in Southeast Asia. Positive and Negative Residuals of Prolonged Stress

Hunter EJ, Hutchins CW, Richlin M. Naval Health Research Center San Diego Calif, Department of Defense publication, Aug 1977.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Prisoners of war, Stress, (Physiology), Stress (Psychology), Interpersonal relations, Endurance(Physiology), Mental health, Adjustment(Psychology), Adaptation(Physiology), Military dependents, Military hygiene, Military psychology, Military medicine, Casualties, Sensory deprivation, Confinement(Psychology)

No PMID/MUID

The Psychological Legacy of War and Atrocity: The Question of Long-term and Transgenerational Effects and the Need for a Broad View. (See also Mental Health)
(further information available on the web)

Summerfield D. Medical Foundation for the Care of Victims of Torture, London, United Kingdom. J Nerv Ment Dis 1996 Jun; 184(6):375-377.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Aging/psychology; Aging/physiology; Concentration Camps; Human; Intergenerational Relations; Life Change Events; Male; Morbidity; Prisoners/psychology; Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology; Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/epidemiology; Survivors/psychology; Veterans/psychology; Violence /psychology; War

PMID: 8642388-- MUID: 96247613

Prolonged Family Separation in the Military: A Longitudinal Study.

McCubbin HI, Dahl BB, Hunter EJ. AVAL HEALTH RESEARCH CENTER SAN DIEGO CALIF, Department of Defense publication, Sept 1975.

Brief Description: Researchers looked at the family's adjustment to the reunion with the returned prisoner of war from Vietnam.

Keywords: Prisoners of war, Military personnel, Adjustment, (Psychology), Marriage, Social psychology, Human relations, Predictions, Family separation, Family adjustment, Military families, Father absence, Husband absence-Stress

No PMID/MUID

A Redefinition and Examination of the 'Delayed Stress Syndrome' in Returned Prisoners of War from Vietnam.

Metres PJ Jr. NAVAL HEALTH RESEARCH CENTER SAN DIEGO CA, Department of Defense publication, Nov 1976, Paper presented at the 84th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Washington.

Brief Description: Researchers looked at delayed stress syndrome in prisoners of war from Vietnam one and two years after repatriation. Researchers found no significant increase in stress related-problems for either the husband or wife between the two intervals.

Keywords: Prisoners of war, Vietnam, Literature surveys, Stress (Psychology)

No PMID/MUID

Treatment of Torture Survivors and their Families: The Nurse's Function. (See also Torture) (further information available on the web)

Jacobsen L, Vesti P. Rehabilitation and Research Centre for Torture Victims, Copenhagen-Denmark. Int Nurs Rev 1989 May; 36(3):75-80.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Denmark, Family, Human, Human Rights, Nursing Care, Rehabilitation Centers, Self Concept, Stress, Psychological/rehabilitation, Stress, Psychological/nursing, Stress, Psychological/etiology, Torture

PMID: 2737839-- MUID: 89291248

Holocaust Survivors and Their Children

Comparison of Children of Holocaust Survivors with Children of the General Population in Israel. Are children of Holocaust-survivor parents more disturbed than others? (further information available on the web)

Gay M, Shulman S. No Affiliation Available, Ment Health Soc 1978; 5(5-6):252-256.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Child, Comparative Study, Culture, Europe, Eastern/ethnology, Female, Human, Israel, Jews, Male, Parent-Child Relations, Self Concept, Stress, Psychological/epidemiology

PMID: 555498-- MUID: 81148039

Adaptive Abilities in Non-clinical Second-generation Holocaust Survivors and Controls: a Comparison. (further information available on the web)

Russell A, Plotkin D, Heapy N. No Affiliation Available, Am J Psychother 1985 Oct; 39(4):564-579.

Brief Description: Researchers did a non-clinical comparison between a group of young adult, second-generation Holocaust survivors and a similar group of North American Jews acting as a control.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Adolescence, Adult, Concentration Camps, Female, Human, Identification (Psychology), Jews/psychology, Male, Middle Age, Personality Development, Prisons, Psychological Tests, Self Concept, Social Adjustment, Survival

PMID: 4083374-- MUID: 86100948

Aging Jewish Holocaust Survivors: Anxieties in Dealing with Health Professionals. (further information available on the web)

Joffe HI, Joffe CF, Brodaty H. Chai Foundation, Bondi, NSW. Med J Aust 1996 Nov 4; 165(9):517-520.

Brief Description: This paper looks at the inadequate knowledge of health professionals in Australia to deal with the effects of massive trauma on the aging population of Jewish Holocaust survivors.

Keywords: Anxiety, Attitude, Australia, Health Personnel/education, Holocaust, Human, Institutionalization, Survival/psychology

PMID: 8937375-- MUID: 97091709

Alexithymia in Holocaust Survivors with and without PTSD. (further information available on the web)

Yehuda R, Steiner A, Kahana B, Binder-Brynes K, Southwick SM, Zemelman S-Giller EL. Psychiatry Department, Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York, New York, USA. J Trauma Stress 1997 Jan; 10(1):93-100.

Brief Description: Researchers compared Toronto Alexithymia Scale-Twenty Item Version (TAS-20) scores of survivors with and without PTSD. The study demonstrates that alexithymia is related not only to exposure to trauma but to the presence of posttraumatic symptoms.

Keywords: Affective Symptoms/psychology, Affective Symptoms/diagnosis, Aged, Analysis of Variance, Case-Control Studies, Female, Holocaust/psychology, Human, Male, Middle Age, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Severity of Illness Index Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Support, U. S. Gov't, P. H. S. , Survivors/psychology

PMID: 9018679-- MUID: 97171450

Emotional Distress and Satisfaction in Life Among Holocaust Survivors-A Community Study of Survivors and Controls. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Carmil D, Carel RS. No Affiliation Available. Psychol Med 1986 Feb; 16(1):141-149.

Brief Description: Forty years after the Holocaust, these survivors showed a higher degree of emotional disorders—especially among women—than did a control group.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Adjustment Disorders/psychology, Affective Symptoms/psychology, Aged, Concentration Camps, Female, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Israel, Jews/psychology, Male, Middle Age, Prisons, Psycho-physiologic Disorders/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Survival

PMID: 3961040-- MUID: 86178128

Curative Factors in the Psychoanalyses of Holocaust Survivors' Offspring Before and During the Gulf War. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Kogan I. No Affiliation Available, Int J Psychoanal 1993 Aug; 74(Pt 4):803-814.

Brief Description: The Gulf War had a strong effect on children of Holocaust survivors, who tended to recreate their parents' experiences in their own lives. The author focuses on strengthening the ego forces and explores the curative effect of insight.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Adult, Case Report, Concentration Camps, Female, Human, Israel, Jews/psychology, Personality Development, Psychoanalytic Therapy, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Survival/psychology, War

PMID: 8407133-- MUID: 94011674

The impact of the Holocaust on the Second Generation: Norwegian Jewish Holocaust Survivors and their Children. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Major EF. Division of Disaster Psychiatry, University of Oslo, Joint Norwegian Armed Forces Medical Services, Norway. J Trauma Stress 1996 Jul; 9(3):441-454.

Brief Description: The control group in this study comprised Norwegian-born Jews who escaped to Sweden and their children. Although the survivors do not exhibit the so-called second-generation syndrome, their children show a certain degree of psychological vulnerability. More children of the survivors than the control group pursued careers in health/social care.

Keywords: Acculturation, Adolescence, Adult, Aged, Aged, 80 and over, Career Choice, Child of Impaired Parents/psychology, Concentration Camps, Emigration and Immigration, Family/psychology, Female, Human, Jews/psychology, Male, Middle Age, Norway,

Personality Assessment, Personality Development, Political Systems, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, Survival/psychology, Sweden

PMID: 8827648-- MUID: 96425197

Demandingness and Belligerence in Hospitalized Depressed Holocaust Concentration Camp Survivors as Perceived by the Staff. (further information available on the web)

Bachar E, Dasberg H, Ben-Shakhar G. Department of Psychiatry, Hadassah University Medical Center, Jerusalem-Israel. Isr J Psychiatry Relat Sci 1995; 32(4):262-267.

Brief Description: Hospital staff rated the behavior of depressed Holocaust survivors as more disagreeable than than that of counterpart patients.

Keywords: Comparative Study, Concentration Camps, Depressive Disorder/rehabilitation, Depressive Disorder/psychology, Depressive Disorder/diagnosis, Female, Holocaust, Hospitalization, Human, Male, Mental Health Services/manpower, Middle Age, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Questionnaires, Survival

PMID: 8641855-- MUID: 96226704

Children of Holocaust Survivors: Separation Obstacles, Attachments-and Anxiety. (further information available on the web)

Zilberfein F. Department of Social Work Services, Mount Sinai Medical Center, New York, NY-USA. Soc Work Health Care 1996; 23(3):35-55.

Brief Description: Can Holocaust trauma be transmitted to the children of survivors? This article discusses the effects on children in terms of separation, relationship development, and anxiety.

Keywords: Adult, Anxiety, Separation/etiology, Female, Holocaust/psychology, Human, Male, Parent-Child Relations, Questionnaires, Survival/psychology

PMID: 8865514-- MUID: 97018898

The Analysis of a Latency-age Survivor of the Holocaust. (further information available on the web)

Haber CH. No Affiliation Available. Psychoanal Rev 1988; 75(4):641-651.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Adult, Case Report, Character, Child, Female, Human, Memory, Personality Development, Psychoanalytic Therapy, Shame, Survival, War

PMID: 3148958-- MUID: 89185173

The Effect of Behavioral Intervention on the Psychological Distress of Holocaust Survivors with Cancer. (further information available on the web)

Baider L, Peretz T, Kaplan De-Nour A. Department of Psycho-Oncology, Sharett Institute of Oncology, Hadassah University Hospital, Jerusalem, Israel. Psychother Psychosom 1997; 66(1):44-49.

Brief Description: A psychological intervention (administration of two self-reports) resulted in a significant but short-term decrease in distress among cancer patients who survived the extreme trauma of the Holocaust.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Behavior Therapy/methods, Concentration Camps, Defense Mechanisms, Human, Internal-External Control, Israel, Jews/psychology, Neoplasm's/psychology, Psychotherapy, Brief/methods, Quality of Life, Sick Role, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/therapy, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, Survival/psychology

PMID: 8996715-- MUID: 97149921

Trauma and Nostalgia: New Aspects On The Coping of Aging Holocaust Survivors. (further information available on the web)

Hertz DG. Dr. Walter Schindler Center for Medical Psychotherapy, Hebrew University-Hadassah Medical School Jerusalem, Israel. Isr J Psychiatry Relat Sci 1990; 27(4):189-198

Brief Description: Memories, reminiscences, and nostalgic feelings help survivors cope with the trauma of the Holocaust. This article emphasizes the potential role of sensory stimuli in the formation of reminiscences in the elderly.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Aged, Aging/psychology, Concentration Camps, Grief, Human, Jews/psychology, Middle Age, Recall, Social Environment, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Survival/psychology

PMID: 2086535-- MUID: 91201054

Longitudinal Follow-up of Child Survivors of the Holocaust. (further information available on the web)

Moskowitz S. No Affiliation Available. J Am Acad Child Psychiatry 1985 Jul; 24(4):401-407.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Adoption, Case Report, Child, Child, Preschool, Female, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Male, Psychosocial Deprivation, Survival, War Crimes

PMID: 4019967-- MUID: 85262450

Mutual Involvement and Alienation in Families of Holocaust Survivors. (further information available on the web)

Sigal JJ, Weinfeld M. Department of Psychiatry, Jewish General Hospital, Montreal, Canada. Psychiatry 1987 Aug; 50(3):280-288.

Brief Description: Researchers compared questionnaire responses of three groups: adult children of Holocaust survivors, of other immigrants, and of native-born parents. For the most part, the responses did not support clinical findings.

Keywords: Adult, Concentration Camps, Family, Female, Human, Jews/psychology, Male, Parent-Child Relations, Prisons, Psychological Tests, Social Alienation, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, Survival

PMID: 3659215-- MUID: 88016746

Parental Communication and Psychological Distress in Children of Holocaust Survivors: A Comparison Between the U. S. and Israel. (further information available on the web)

Okner DF, Flaherty J. Northwestern University-McGaw Medical Center in Chicago, Illinois. Int J Soc Psychiatry 1989; 35(3):265-273.

Brief Description: Researchers compared questionnaire responses of children of survivors in the United States and in Israel. In both countries, general communication by the parents about the Holocaust correlated negatively with demoralization and positively with guilt.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Adult, Communication, Comparative Study, Cross-Cultural Comparison, Female, Human, Israel, Jews/psychology, Male, Parent-Child Relations, Personality Development, Social Environment, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Survival/psychology, United States

PMID: 2583959-- MUID: 90061596

Physical Illness in Children of Holocaust Survivors. (further information available on the web)

Waldfogel S. Department of Psychiatry and Human Behavior, Jefferson Medical College-Philadelphia, PA 19107. Gen Hosp Psychiatry 1991 Jul; 13(4):267-269.

Brief Description: Children of survivors—like their parents—may have idiosyncratic responses to illness and hospitalization. Awareness of Holocaust-related experiences is helpful in treating emotional symptoms and developing an alliance between psychiatrist and patient.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Adult, Case Report, Child of Impaired Parents/psychology, Female, Human, Interview, Psychological, Jews/psychology, Male,

Parent-Child Relations, Political Systems, Psychiatry/methods, Referral and Consultation, Self Concept, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/therapy, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis

PMID: 1874428-- MUID: 91340121

Psychological Sequelae of Persecution. The Survivor Syndrome [Article in German]
(further information available on the web)

Peters UH. Nervenklinik der Universitat zu Koln. Fortschr Neurol Psychiatr 1989 May; 57(5):169-191.

Brief Description: The range of experiences of Holocaust survivors—from being outlawed and uprooted, to losing all rights and individuality, and living under the constant threat of death—defines the survivor's syndrome. Characteristics include continuing anxiety, low self-esteem, irritability, and guilt.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Concentration Camps, English Details, Human, Jews/psychology, Prisons, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Survival

PMID: 2661382-- MUID: 89290644

Forty Years Later: Long-term Consequences of Massive Traumatization as Manifested by Holocaust Survivors From the City And the Kibbutz. (further information available on the web)

Nadler A, Ben-Shushan D. No Affiliation Available, J Consult Clin Psychol 1989 Apr; 57(2):287-293.

Brief Description: Researchers studied the differences between male and female survivors and control subjects. Survivors had more psychological and emotional problems. Male survivors from the city, compared with those from the Kibbutz, had the lowest scores.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Aged, Concentration Camps, Female, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Israel, Jews/psychology, Male, Middle Age, Prisons, Social Environment, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Survival

PMID: 2708617-- MUID: 89214898

Transgenerational Effects of the Holocaust: Externalization of Aggression in Second Generation of Holocaust Survivors. (further information available on the web)

Nadler A, Kav-Venaki S, Gleitman B. No Affiliation Available. J Consult Clin Psychol 1985 Jun; 53(3):365-369.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adult, Aggression/psychology, Concentration Camps, Female, Human, Jews/psychology, Male, Personality Development, Prisons, Survival

PMID: 4008720-- MUID: 85235075

Facilitated and Real Trauma in the Psychoanalysis of Children of Holocaust Survivors. [Article in German] [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Kogan I. No Affiliation Available, Psyche (Stuttg) 1990 Jun; 44(6):533-544.

Brief Description: This article describes two case studies of children who took on their parents' Holocaust trauma. The author suggests that working through the real trauma can relieve the transmitted trauma.

Keywords: Adult, Concentration Camps, English Details, Female, Human, Jews/psychology, Male, Parent-Child Relations, Personality Development, Prisons, Psychoanalytic Therapy /methods, Self Concept, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Survival/psychology

PMID: 2374820-- MUID: 90326830

Identification Patterns of Offspring of Holocaust Survivors with their Parents. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Felsen I, Erlich HS. Yale Psychiatric Institute, New Haven, Am J Orthopsychiatry 1990 Oct; 60(4):506-520.

Brief Description: Children of survivors identified with their parents in distinctly different ways than children in a control group. According to clinical studies, this points to a particular character organization rather than psychopathology.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Adult, Aged, Child of Impaired Parents/psychology, Concentration Camps, Female, Human, Internal-External Control, Male, Middle Age, Parent-Child Relations, Personality Tests, Self Concept, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Survival/psychology

PMID: 2248362-- MUID: 91063553

Children of Survivors of the Nazi Holocaust: A Critical Review of the Literature. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Solkoff N. Psychology Department, State University of New York-Buffalo, Am J Orthopsychiatry 1992 Jul; 62(3):342-358.

Brief Description: This review considers methodological problems from earlier research and recommends strategies for future research. The focus is on clinical and experimental studies of the 1980s.

Keywords: Child of Impaired Parents/psychology, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Jews/psychology, Political Systems, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Survival/psychology

PMID: 1497100-- MUID: 92359254

Families of holocaust survivors in the kibbutz: psychological studies. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Klein H. No Affiliation Available. Int Psychiatry Clin 1971; 8(1):67-92.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Adolescence, Adult, Aggression, Anxiety, Separation, Child, Child, Preschool, Conflict (Psychology), Emigration and Immigration, Family, Fantasy, Female, Group Processes, Human, Identification (Psychology), Interview, Psychological, Israel, Judaism, Male, Middle Age, Parent-Child Relations, Prisons, Stress/ complications, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/etiology, Transference (Psychology), War Crimes

PMID: 5148255-- MUID: 72180495

Mental Health/Psychology

Alcoholism

Chronic PTSD in Vietnam Combat Veterans: Course of Illness and Substance Abuse. [\(See also Posttraumatic Stress Disorder\)](#) [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Bremner JD, Southwick SM, Darnell A, Charney DS. National Center for Posttraumatic Stress Disorder, West Haven VA Medical Center, CT 06516-USA, Am J Psychiatry 1996 Mar; 153(3):369-375.

Brief Description: Vietnam veterans with PTSD were assessed for alcohol and substance abuse. PTSD and the use of alcohol and substances were linked.

Keywords: Alcoholism/epidemiology, Alcoholism/diagnosis, Chronic Disease, Cocaine, Comorbidity, Diagnosis, Dual (Psychiatry), Human, Life Change Events, Longitudinal Studies, Male, Mental Disorders/psychology, Mental Disorders/epidemiology, Mental Disorders/ diagnosis, Middle Age, Self Medication, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/epidemiology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Substance Abuse/psychology, Substance Abuse/epidemiology, Substance Abuse/diagnosis, Substance Dependence/psychology, Substance Dependence/epidemiology, Substance

Dependence/diagnosis, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. , Veterans/psychology, Vietnam, War Substances, Cocaine

PMID: 8610824-- MUID: 96180602

Prevalence of Alcohol Dependence Among Prisoners. [Article in Polish] [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Slawinska JB. No Affiliation Available, Psychiatr Pol 1985 Mar; 19(2):121-127.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adolescence, Adult, Alcoholism/etiology, Alcoholism/epidemiology, English Details, Female, Human, Male, Poland, Prisoners/psychology

PMID: 4095215-- MUID: 86149980

Alcoholism in Vietnam and Korea veterans: A Long Term Follow-up. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Branchey L, Davis W, Lieber CS. No Affiliation Available, Alcohol Clin Exp Res 1984 Nov; 8(6):572-575.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Alcoholism/epidemiology, Combat Disorders/epidemiology, Human, Korea, Male, Military Medicine, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/epidemiology, United States, Veterans/psychology, Vietnam War

PMID: 6393810-- MUID: 85094894

Anxiety and Depression

Posttraumatic stress disorder in male and female Dutch Resistance veterans of World War II in relation to trait anxiety and depression. (See also Posttraumatic Stress Disorder) [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Hovens JE, Falger PR, Op den Velde W, De Groen JH, Van Duijn H. Psychiatric Hospital Het Christelijk Sanatorium-Zeist, Psychol Rep 1994 Feb; 74(1):275-285.

Brief Description: This study evaluates Dutch resistance veterans from WWII with regard to PTSD, trait anxiety, and depression. Results indicated high correlations among these measures.

Keywords: Aged, Anxiety Disorders/psychology, Anxiety Disorders/diagnosis, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Comparative Study, Cross-Cultural Comparison, Depressive Disorder/psychology, Depressive Disorder/diagnosis, Female,

Gender Identity, Human, Male, Middle Age, Netherlands, Personality Inventory/statistics & numerical data, Veterans/psychology, War

PMID: 8153220-- MUID: 94204117

Is Anhedonia a Good Measure of Depression? [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Silverstone PH. MRC Clinical Pharmacology Unit, Radcliffe Infirmary, Oxford, United Kingdom. Acta Psychiatr Scand 1991 Apr; 83(4):249-250.

Brief Description: Anhedonia (i.e., loss of pleasure) was found to be present for most depressed patients with diagnoses other than major depressive illness. It is suggested that anhedonia is not appropriate as a diagnostic measure.

Keywords: Age Factors, Alcoholism/psychology, Ambulatory Care, Anxiety Disorders/psychology, Anxiety Disorders/diagnosis, Depression/psychology, Depression/diagnosis, Depressive Disorder/psychology, Depressive Disorder/diagnosis, Female, Human, Male, Personality Disorders/psychology, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Psychotic Disorders/psychology, Psychotic Disorders/diagnosis, Questionnaires, Sex Factors

PMID: 2028800-- MUID: 91228835

Age-dependent Epidemiology of Depression. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Kanowski S. Department of Gerontopsychiatry, Free University Berlin, FRG. Gerontology 1994; 40 Suppl 1:1-4.

Brief Description: This work evaluates epidemiological studies on depression for elderly compared to younger age groups. Evidence was unclear as to whether the elderly suffer more depressive disorders.

Keywords: Adult, Age Factors, Aged, Cross-Sectional Studies, Depressive Disorder/psychology, Depressive Disorder/epidemiology, Depressive Disorder/diagnosis, Female, Human, Incidence, Male, Middle Age, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales

PMID: 8020764-- MUID: 94291963

Age, Education, Maltreatment, and Social Support as Predictors of Chronic Depression in Former Prisoners of War. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Engdahl BE, Page WF, Miller TW. U. S. Department of Veterans Affairs, Medical Center Minneapolis, Minnesota. Soc Psychiatry Psychiatr Epidemiol 1991 Mar; 26(2):63-67.

Brief Description: This study evaluated U.S. POWs from WWII and the Korean War, relating captivity trauma variables and individual protective variables to depression. Variables were related to levels of adjustment over time.

Keywords: Chronic Disease, Combat Disorders/psychology, Depressive Disorder/psychology, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Male, Personality Tests/statistics & numerical data, Prisoners/psychology, Psycho-metrics, Social Support, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. , Torture, Veterans/psychology

PMID: 2047905-- MUID: 91262689

Anxiety in Prisoners Today. (further information available on the web)

Lapornik R, Lehofer M, Posch C. Universitätsklinik fur Psychiatrie, Graz, Austria. Forensic Sci Int 1992 Nov; 57(1):81-86.

Brief Description: Researchers studied the relationships between anxiety, aggressive behavior, and depressive reactions for prisoners. It was found that working vice non-working status of prisoners led to significant differences in the measures.

Keywords: Aggression/psychology, Anxiety/psychology, Austria, Depression/psychology, Depression/diagnosis, Employment/psychology, Human, Prisoners/psychology

PMID: 1468735-- MUID: 93106541

Depressed Mood and Major Depressive Episodes: Differential Responsiveness to Psychosocial Experiences. (further information available on the web)

Veiel HO. Central Institute of Mental Health, Mannheim, Federal Republic of Germany. , Eur Arch Psychiatry Neurol Sci 1990; 240(1):62-65.

Brief Description: Social environment was related to development of depressive symptoms for depressed patients. Results suggest ways to conceptualize depressive disorders.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Cohort Studies, Depression/psychology, Depression/diagnosis, Depressive Disorder/psychology, Depressive Disorder/diagnosis, Family, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Prospective Studies, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Recurrence, Social Environment, Social Support, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, Physical health problems

PMID: 2147907-- MUID: 91078298

Depression in Korean Immigrants in Canada. I. Method of the Study and Prevalence of Depression. (further information available on the web)

Noh S, Speechley M, Kaspar V, Wu Z. Department of Occupational Therapy, University of Western Ontario, London-Canada, J Nerv Ment Dis 1992 Sep; 180(9):573-577.

Brief Description: This article examines depression among Korean immigrants in Canada, who were found not exceptionally vulnerable to depression. It suggests that it is important to focus on informal social supports.

Keywords: Adult, Canada/epidemiology, Catchment Area (Health), Comparative Study, Confidence Intervals, Depressive Disorder/epidemiology, Emigration and Immigration, Ethnic Groups/statistics & numerical data, Female, Human, Korea/ethnology, Male, Marriage, Multivariate Analysis, Prevalence, Sex Factors, Social Support, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, United States/epidemiology

PMID: 1522406-- MUID: 92395406

Depressive Symptoms and Depressive Diagnoses in a Community Population. Use of a new procedure for analysis of psychiatric classification. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Blazer D, Swartz M, Woodbury M, Manton KG, Hughes D, George LK. Duke University Medical Center, Durham, NC 27710. Arch Gen Psychiatry 1988 Dec; 45(12):1078-1084.

Brief Description: Multivariate classification techniques were used to examine depressive symptoms and symptoms associated with depressive disorders. Researchers evaluated individuals in North Carolina for symptoms that cluster into recognizable syndromes.

Keywords: Adolescence, Adult, Anxiety Disorders/epidemiology, Anxiety Disorders/diagnosis, Anxiety Disorders/classification, Catchment Area (Health), Cross-Sectional Studies, Depression/epidemiology, Depression/diagnosis, Depression/classification, Depressive Disorder/epidemiology, Depressive Disorder/diagnosis, Depressive Disorder/classification, Female, Human, Male, Manuals/standards, Middle Age, North Carolina, Premenstrual Syndrome/epidemiology, Premenstrual Syndrome/diagnosis, Premenstrual Syndrome/classification, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Psychometrics, Sensitivity and Specificity, Space-Time Clustering, Support, U. S. Gov't, P. H. S.

PMID: 3058087-- MUID: 89061322

Prevalence and Correlates of Depressive Symptoms Among Former Prisoners of War. (See also MMPI) [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Page WF, Engdahl BE, Eberly RE. Medical Follow-up Agency, National Academy of Sciences, Washington, DC. J Nerv Ment Dis 1991 Nov; 179(11):670-677.

Brief Description: This study evaluates longitudinal evidence on depression for WWII and Korean War POWs. Over time, lingering depression is found to be strongly related to treatment while in captivity.

Keywords: Age Factors, Aged, Depression/psychology, Depression/epidemiology, Depression/diagnosis, Depressive Disorder/psychology, Depressive Disorder/epidemiology, Educational Status, follow-up Studies, Human, Life Change Events, Longitudinal Studies, Male, Marriage, Middle Age, Multi-variate Analysis, MMPI, Prisoners/psychology, Probability, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Severity of Illness Index Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. , Veterans/psychology, Weight Loss

PMID: 1940890-- MUID: 92044495

Depressive Symptoms as a Nonspecific, Graded Risk for Psychiatric Diagnoses. (further information available on the web)

Zonderman AB, Herbst JH, Schmidt C Jr, Costa PT Jr, McCrae RR. Gerontology Research Center, National Institute on Aging, Baltimore-Maryland 21224. J Abnorm Psychol 1993 Nov; 102(4):544-552.

Brief Description: This longitudinal study used depressive symptoms to predict psychiatric diagnoses. Results are consistent with the view that depressive symptoms are a proxy for some chronic vulnerability.

Keywords: Adult, Aged, Cross-Sectional Studies, Depression/psychology, Depression/epidemiology, Depression/diagnosis, Female, Follow-Up Studies, Hospitalization/statistics & numerical data, Human, Incidence, Male, Mental Disorders/psychology, Mental Disorders/epidemiology, Mental Disorders/diagnosis, Middle Age, Neurotic Disorders/psychology, Neurotic Disorders/epidemiology, Neurotic Disorders/diagnosis, Personality Inventory /statistics & numerical data, Prospective Studies, Psychometrics, Risk Factors, Support, U. S. Gov't, P. H. S. , United States/epidemiology

PMID: 8282922-- MUID: 94110470

Using Longitudinal Data to Estimate Nonresponse Bias. (further information available on the web)

Page WF. Medical Follow-up Agency, Institute of Medicine, Washington. Soc Psychiatry Psychiatr Epidemiol 1991 May; 26(3):127-131.

Brief Description: This study uses longitudinal depressive symptom data on POWs to estimate nonresponse bias. The analysis found little evidence for nonresponse bias.

Keywords: Adult, Aged, Bias (Epidemiology), Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/epidemiology, Cross-Sectional Studies, Depression/psychology, Depression/epidemiology, Human, Incidence, Longitudinal Studies, Male, Middle Age, Prisoners/statistics & numerical data, Prisoners/psychology, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S., United States/epidemiology

PMID: 1887290-- MUID: 91361157

Precursors of Depression in World War II Veterans 40 Years After the War. (further information available on the web)

Dent OF, Tenant CC, Goulston KJ. No Affiliation Available. J Nerv Ment Dis 1987 Aug; 175(8):486-490.

Brief Description: This study focuses on Australian WWII POWs of the Japanese and evaluates subsequent depressive illnesses.

Keywords: Aged, Australia, Comparative Study, Depressive Disorder/psychology, Depressive Disorder/epidemiology, Educational Status, Health Status Indicators, Human, Japan, Male, Marriage, Prisoners/psychology, Probability, Sampling Studies, Socioeconomic Factors, Stress, Psychological/psychology, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, Veterans/psychology, War

PMID: 3625188-- MUID: 87310428

Prevalence and Correlates of Depressive Symptoms Among Older U. S. Adults. (further information available on the web)

Stallones L, Marx MB, Garrity TF. Department of Preventive Medicine, College of Medicine, University of Kentucky-Lexington. Am J Prev Med 1990 Sep; 6(5):295-303.

Brief Description: Researchers examined prevalence and correlates of depressive symptoms for U.S. residents 65 and older. They evaluated interactions of gender, race, and overall physical health.

Keywords: Aged, Aged, 80 and over, Chi-Square Distribution, Demography, Depressive Disorder/psychology, Depressive Disorder/epidemiology, Female, Human, Life Style, Male, Personality, Prevalence, Probability, Regression Analysis, Sampling Studies, Sick Role, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, United States/epidemiology

PMID: 2268457-- MUID: 91097860

Prevalence of Various Depressive Symptoms in a Sample of the General Population. (further information available on the web)

Henderson JG Jr, Pollard CA. Saint Louis University School of Medicine, MO. Psychol Rep 1992 Aug; 71(1):208-210.

Brief Description: Researchers evaluated demographics associated with various symptoms of depression. Findings support a view that depression is more common than is generally suspected.

Keywords: Adult, Age Factors, Aged, Cross-Sectional Studies, Depression/psychology, Depression/epidemiology, Depression/diagnosis, Depressive Disorder/psychology, Depressive Disorder/epidemiology, Depressive Disorder/diagnosis, Female, Human, Incidence, Male, Middle Age, Missouri/epidemiology, Sex Factors

PMID: 1529057-- MUID: 92409950

Social Class and Depressive Symptomatology. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Ayuso-Gutierrez JA, Montejo-Iglesias L, Ramos-Brieva JA. No Affiliation Available. Int J Soc Psychiatry 1981; 27(4):297-299.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adult, Depression/psychology, Depressive Disorder/psychology, Female, Human, Male, Middle Age, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Social Class, Socioeconomic Factors

PMID: 7327880-- MUID: 82119335

Structural Models of Captivity Trauma, Resilience, and Trauma Response Among Former Prisoners of War 20 to 40 Years After Release. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Engdahl BE, Harkness AR, Eberly RE, Page WF, Bielinski J. US Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Minneapolis, Minnesota. Soc Psychiatry Psychiatr Epidemiol 1993 Jul; 28(3):109-115.

Brief Description: Researchers found that American former POWs' long-term responses to captivity were strongly associated with captivity trauma and resilience. The results suggest symptom stability are consistent with a model of trauma response.

Keywords: Aged, Depressive Disorder/psychology, Depressive Disorder/diagnosis, Female, Human, Longitudinal Studies, Male, Middle Age, MMPI, Personality Inventory, Prisoners/psychology, Severity of Illness Index Somatoform Disorders/psychology, Somatoform Disorders/etiology, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. , War

PMID: 8378805-- MUID: 93392006

Depressive Symptom Experiences Among Older Women: A Comparison of Alternative Measurement Approaches. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Newmann JP, Klein MH, Jensen JE, Essex MJ. School of Social Work, University of Wisconsin, Madison 53706-USA, Psychol Aging 1996 Mar; 11(1):112-126.

Brief Description: Researchers studied the relationship of age to depression (in women 55-95) using a standard screening scale, a clinical diagnostic, and a latent variable measurement approach. The analysis supports earlier work by Newmann, Engel, and Jensen on the Symptom Checklist-90, Revised Depression, and Additional Symptoms scales.

Keywords: Aged, Comparative Study, Cross-Sectional Studies, Depression/psychology, Depression/epidemiology, Depression/diagnosis, Depressive Disorder/psychology,

Depressive Disorder/epidemiology, Depressive Disorder/diagnosis, Female, Gender Identity, Geriatric Assessment, Human, Incidence, Middle Age, Personality Assessment/statistics & numerical data, Personality Inventory/statistics & numerical data, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales/statistics & numerical data, Psycho-metrics, Reproducibility of Results, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S., Support, U. S. Gov't, P. H. S. , Wisconsin/epidemiology

PMID: 8726377-- MUID: 96293577

General

Hostage-Taking—the Takers, the Taken, and the Context: Discussion. (further information available on the web)

Bahn C. No Affiliation Available. Ann N Y Acad Sci 1980; 347:151-156.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological; Human; Politics; Prisoners/psychology; Violence

PMID: 6930894-- MUID: 80240435

The Wolf's Face. Isolation in Prisons. [Article in Danish] (further information available on the web)

Laerum H. No Affiliation Available. Ugeskr Laeger 1990 Jun 11; 152(24):1755-1757.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adult; Case Report; Denmark; Female; Forensic Psychiatry; Human; Human Rights; Male; Prisoners/psychology; Sensory Deprivation; Social Isolation/psychology

PMID: 2360296-- MUID: 90296497

Psychopathology of the So-called Reactive Personality Syndrome of Prisoners [Article in Slovak] (further information available on the web)

Zigo L, Zigova E. No Affiliation Available. Cesk Psychiatr 1986 Aug; 82(3-4):185-188.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adjustment Disorders/psychology; English Details; Human; Personality Disorders/psychology; Prisoners/psychology; Syndrome

PMID: 3769006-- MUID: 87028302

Analysis of the Neuropsychiatric Pathology of Former Prisoners of War-As Related to Age at the Time of Captivity. Preliminary study. [Article in French] (further information available on the web)

Meyers C, Donnay JM, Dethienne F. No Affiliation Available. Acta Psychiatr Belg 1974 Jan; 74(1):80-99.

Brief Description: No description available.

Keywords: Age Factors; Aged; Belgium/ethnology; Comparative Study; English Details; Germany; Human; Male; Mental Disorders/epidemiology; Mental Disorders/complications; Middle Age; Occupations; Personality Disorders/epidemiology; Prisoners; Psychiatric Status Rating Scales; Questionnaires; Socioeconomic Factors; Statistics; Time Factors; War

PMID: 4428996-- MUID: 75051781

Cognitive Deficits and Psychopathology Among Former Prisoners of War and Combat Veterans of the Korean Conflict. (further information available on the web)

Sutker PB, Winstead DK, Galina ZH, Allain AN. Psychology Service, VA Medical Center, New Orleans, LA 70146. Am J Psychiatry 1991 Jan; 148(1):67-72.

Brief Description: A comparison of two groups of combat veterans found similarities in background and personal characteristics but differences in problem solving, cognitive tests, and physical complaints. The most common symptoms of former POWs were suspiciousness, apprehension, confusion, isolation, detachment, and hostility.

Keywords: Affect; Case Report; Cognition Disorders/psychology; Cognition Disorders/diagnosis; Cognition Disorders/complications; Human; Korea; Male; Mental Disorders/psychology; Mental Disorders/diagnosis; Mental Disorders/complications; MMPI; Prisoners/psychology; Problem Solving; Psychiatric Status Rating Scales; Psychological Tests; Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology; Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis; Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/complications; Stress, Psychological/complications; Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. ; Time Factors; War; Wechsler Scales

PMID: 1984709-- MUID: 91083130

Different Wars, Same Hardships. (further information available on the web)

Bumgarner JR. No Affiliation Available. Va Med Q 1994; 121(1):35-38.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Anecdotes; Human; Japan; Male; Prisoners/psychology; War

PMID: 8142495-- MUID: 94191037

Further Analysis of POW Follow-up Study Data.

Biderman AD. Bureau Of Social Science Research Inc Washington DC. Department of Defense publication; Feb 1965.

Brief Description: Is apathy among repatriated Korean War POWs the result of biographical, situational, or personality differences? This study found that measures of apathy were related to age, education, hardships in captivity, combat injuries, and postrepatriation adjustment.

Keywords: Prisoners, Psychiatry, Attitudes(Psychology), Army Personnel, North Korea, Behavior, Psychometers, Analysis, Adjustment (Psychology), Data, Military Personnel

No PMID/MUID

The Health of Former Prisoners of War of the Japanese. (See also POW/MIA and Physical health) (further information available on the web)

Gill GV, Bell DR. No Affiliation Available. Practitioner 1981 Apr; 225(1354):531-538.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adult; Case Report; Duodenal Ulcer/epidemiology; Ear Diseases/epidemiology; Follow-Up Studies; Great Britain; Human; Japan; Liver Diseases/epidemiology; Lung Diseases/epidemiology; Male; Mental Disorders/epidemiology; Prisoners/psychology; War

PMID: 7279839-- MUID: 82015461

Lifetime and Current Prevalence of Specific Psychiatric Disorders Among Vietnam Veterans and Controls. (further information available on the web)

Jordan BK, Schlenger WE, Hough R, Kulka RA, Weiss D, Fairbank JA, Marmar CR. Center for Social Research and Policy Analysis, Research Triangle Institute-Research Triangle Park, NC 27709. Arch Gen Psychiatry 1991 Mar; 48(3):207-215.

Brief Description: This study found more differences in rates of psychiatric disorder (other than PTSD) between theater veterans and civilians than between theater and other veterans. Veterans exposed to high levels of war zone stress had higher rates for several disorders than the other groups.

Keywords: Adult, Cross-Sectional Studies, Depressive Disorder/epidemiology, Depressive Disorder/diagnosis, Female, Human, Life Change Events, Male, Mental Disorders/epidemiology, Mental Disorders/diagnosis, Middle Age, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Sex Factors, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. , United States/epidemiology, Veterans/psychology, Vietnam, War

PMID: 1996916-- MUID: 91144325

Notes on the Physical State of the Prisoner of War as it May Affect Brain Function.

Hinkle LEJr. BUREAU OF SOCIAL SCIENCE RESEARCH INC WASHINGTON DC, Department of Defense publication, Sep 1963.

Brief Description: This paper on captivity behavior discusses the effects of deprivation on the brain and the implications for captors and the captured.

Keywords: Prisoners, Brainwashing, Brain, Physical Fitness, Sleep, Fatigue(Physiology), Reaction(Psychology), Behavior, Psychological Warfare, Psychophysiology, Stress(Psychology), Prisoners Of War, Sleep Deprivation

No PMID/MUID

***Operation Homecoming: Psychological Observations of Repatriated Vietnam Prisoners of War.* (further information available on the web)**

Andersen RS. No Affiliation Available, Psychiatry 1975 Feb; 38(1):65-74.

Brief Description: The author did psychiatric evaluations on POWs returning from Vietnam. The typical Vietnam POW was held longer than prisoners of WWII or the Korean War—an average of 6 or 7 years.

Keywords: Adaptation-Psychological, Boredom, Cooperative Behavior, Crowding, Defense Mechanisms, Dissociative Disorders, Divorce, Dreams, Fear, Hostility, Human, Hysteria/etiology, Male, Marriage, Masturbation, Mental Disorders/epidemiology, Military Psychiatry, Personality, Prisoners, Punishment, Social Isolation, Stress, Psychological, United States, Vietnam, War

PMID: 1114192-- MUID: 75102020

***Psychiatric Disorder in Male Veterans and Nonveterans.* (further information available on the web)**

Norquist GS, Hough RL, Golding JM, Escobar JI. Department of Psychiatry and Biobehavioral Sciences, University of California-Los Angeles 90024. J Nerv Ment Dis 1990 May; 178(5):328-335.

Brief Description: Researchers estimated prevalences of psychiatric disorders for four war eras. Post-Vietnam era veterans had greater prevalences of disorders than nonveterans; the opposite was found for the other eras (WWII, Korea, and Vietnam).

Keywords: Comparative Study; Human; Male; Mental Disorders/epidemiology; Mental Disorders/classification; Prevalence; Support, Non-U.S. Gov't; Support, U.S. Gov't, P.H.S.; Time Factors; Veterans; War

PMID: 2338542-- MUID: 90250419

The Need for Power, Stress, Immune Function, and Illness Among Male Prisoners. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

McClelland DC, Alexander C, Marks E. No Affiliation Available. J Abnorm Psychol 1982 Feb; 91(1):61-70.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adult; Human; IgA/analysis; Male; Prisoners/psychology; Psychophysiological Disorders/psychology; Psychophysiological Disorders/immunology; Saliva/immunology; Thematic Apperception Test

PMID: 7056944-- MUID: 82120823

The Psychopathology of the Hostage Experience-A Review. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Harkis BA. No Affiliation Available. Med Sci Law 1986 Jan; 26(1):48-52.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Child; Child Psychology; Human; Male; Prisoners/psychology

PMID: 3959828-- MUID: 86174099

Wechsler Subtest Differences Between Prisoner and Patients, with Intelligence as a Moderator Variable. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Saunders DR. No Affiliation Available. Psychol Rep 1982 Jun; 50(3 Pt 1):761-762.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Human; Intelligence; Male; Personality Assessment; Prisoners/psychology; Psychophysiological Disorders/psychology; Wechsler Scales

PMID: 7111542-- MUID: 82275689

Relapses After Therapeutic Treatment of Prisoners. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Schorsch E. No Affiliation Available. Int J Law Psychiatry 1982; 5(2):219-223.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Behavior; Human; Prisoners/psychology; Prognosis; Psychotherapy /methods; Sex Offenses; Sociology, Medical

PMID: 7118344-- MUID: 83005984

Self-concept changes related to war captivity. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Sledge WH, Boydston JA, Rabe AJ. No Affiliation Available. Arch Gen Psychiatry 1980 Apr; 37(4):430-443.

Brief Description: Researchers hypothesized that Vietnam POWs who suffered the most might feel that they benefited psychologically from the experience. They found this to be true for a distinct subgroup but not for POWs in general.

Keywords: Adult; Aerospace Medicine; Attitude; Human; Male; Prisoners/psychology; Self Concept; Social Adjustment; Stress, Psychological/psychology; Vietnam; War; Wounds and Injuries/psychology

PMID: 7362429-- MUID: 80152646

Socioeconomic Data on 447 Hospitalized Former Prisoners of War. [Article in French] [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Bobon-Schrod H, Dethienne F. No Affiliation Available. Acta Psychiatr Belg 1976 Jan; 76(1):56-71.

Brief Description: Analysis of a Belgian hospital's social files on POWs found significant results about divorce rates, neglect of disorders, and nonworking professional people.

Keywords: Age Factors; Aged; Belgium; Divorce; Educational Status; English Details; Family; Hospitalization; Human; Income; Male; Middle Age; Prisoners; Social Adjustment; Socioeconomic Factors; Time Factors; War; Work

PMID: 970189-- MUID: 77018888

Therapeutic Communities in Prison. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Wexler HK, Love CT. Center for Therapeutic Community Research, National Development and Research Institutes, Laguna Beach, CA 92651, USA. NIDA Res Monogr 1994; 144:181-208.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Human; Prisoners/psychology; Substance Abuse/rehabilitation; Substance Abuse/psychology; Therapeutic Community; United States

PMID: 8742611-- MUID: 96296577

The Vietnam POW Veteran: Immediate and Long-Term Effects of Captivity.

Hunter EJ. Naval Health Research Center San Diego Calif. Pub. in Stress Disorders Among Vietnam Veterans (Theory, Research and Treatment), p188-206 1978.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Prisoners of War, Attitudes, (Psychology), Vietnam, Reprints, Captivity

No PMID/MUID

Vietnam Era and Vietnam Combat Veterans Among the Homeless. (further information available on the web)

Rosenheck R, Gallup P, Leda CA. Northeast Program Evaluation Center, VA Medical Center, West Haven, CT 06516. Am J Public Health 1991 May; 81(5):643-646.

Brief Description: The high percentage of homeless Vietnam veterans is more a reflection of the risk for homelessness among men 30-44 than the effect of Vietnam service. Problems with alcohol and both physical and mental health were more prevalent in non-white homeless combat veterans than their noncombat counterparts.

Keywords: Adult; Age Factors; Aged; Combat Disorders/complications; Female; Homeless Persons/statistics & numerical data; Homeless Persons/psychology; Human; Male; Middle Age; Racial Stocks; Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. ; United States; Veterans/statistics & numerical data; Veterans/psychology; Vietnam

PMID: 2014870-- MUID: 91196817

The Psychological Legacy of War and Atrocity: The Question of Long-term and Transgenerational Effects and The Need for a Broad View. (See also Family health)
(further information available on the web)

Summerfield D. Medical Foundation for the Care of Victims of Torture, London, United Kingdom. J Nerv Ment Dis 1996 Jun; 184(6):375-377.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Aging/psychology; Aging/physiology; Concentration Camps; Human; Intergenerational Relations; Life Change Events; Male; Morbidity; Prisoners/psychology; Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology; Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/epidemiology; Survivors/psychology; Veterans/psychology; Violence /psychology; War

PMID: 8642388-- MUID: 96247613

MMPI

Prevalence and Correlates of Depressive Symptoms Among Former Prisoners of War. (See also PTSD) (further information available on the web)

Page WF, Engdahl BE, Eberly RE. Medical Follow-up Agency, National Academy of Sciences, Washington, DC. J Nerv Ment Dis 1991 Nov; 179(11):670-677.

Brief description: This longitudinal study finds that depressive symptomatology is high in POWs from Korea and WWII (Pacific and European theaters). Captivity-related factors and such buffering factors as education account for differences among the three groups analyzed.

Keywords: Age Factors, Aged, Depression/psychology, Depression/epidemiology, Depression/diagnosis, Depressive Disorder/psychology, Depressive Disorder/epidemiology, Educational Status, follow-up Studies, Human, Life Change Events, Longitudinal Studies, Male, Marriage, Middle Age, Multivariate Analysis, MMPI, Prisoners/psychology, Probability, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Severity of Illness index Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. , Veterans/psychology, Weight Loss

PMID: 1940890-- MUID: 92044495

Patterns of Appraisal and Coping Across Different Stressor Conditions Among Former Prisoners of War with and Without Posttraumatic Stress Disorder. (See also MMPI) (further information available on the web)

Fairbank JA, Hansen DJ, Fitterling JM. Center for Social Research and Policy Analysis, Research Triangle Institute-North Carolina 27709. J Consult Clin Psychol 1991 Apr; 59(2):274-281.

Brief Description: To find out more about survivors' coping mechanisms, this study compared WWII RPOWs with chronic PTSD, RPOWs without PTSD, and noncombat veterans. RPOWs with PTSD had less control over memories of war and had more of a tendency to cope with these memories by isolating themselves than did the other two groups.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Arousal, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Male, MMPI, Prisoners/psychology, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Support, U. S. Gov't, P. H. S. , Veterans/psychology

PMID: 2030188-- MUID: 91231567

Suicide Attempts and Self-injury in Prisons. [EDITORIAL] (further information available on the web)

Kerkhof AJ, Clark DC. No Affiliation Available, Crisis 1993; 14(4):146-147.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Human, Prisoners/psychology, Self-Injurious Behavior/psychology, Self-Injurious Behavior/prevention & control, Suicide, Attempted/psychology, Suicide, Attempted/prevention & control

PMID: 8156806-- MUID: 94208283

Psychophysiological Assessment of Posttraumatic Stress Disorder Imagery in World War II and Korean Combat Veterans. (See also PTSD) (further information available on the web)

Orr SP, Pitman RK, Lasko NB, Herz LR. Veterans Affairs Research Service, Manchester, New Hampshire 03103. J Abnorm Psychol 1993 Feb; 102(1):152-159.

Brief Description: Researchers measured responses of WWII and Korean War veterans who were prompted to remember their combat experiences. The PTSD subjects exhibited larger reactions than those in the non-PTSD group.

Keywords: Aged, Arousal, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Electromyography, Galvanic Skin Response, Heart Rate, Human, Imagination, Male, Middle Age, MMPI, Speech Perception, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. , Veterans/psychology, War

PMID: 8436691-- MUID: 93171412

Traumatic Stress Disorder: Diagnostic and Clinical Issues in Former Prisoners of War. (See also PTSD) (further information available on the web)

Miller TW, Martin W, Spiro K. VA Medical Center, Lexington, KY 40511, Compr Psychiatry 1989 Mar; 30(2):139-148.

Brief Description: Researchers collected data on former POWs with PTSD symptoms and found MMPI and MCMI clinical profiles. Their findings suggest behavioral treatment approaches for diagnosed patients.

Keywords: Comparative Study, Escape Reaction, Germany, Human, Japan, Life Change Events, Male, MMPI, Personality Inventory, Prisoners/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/therapy, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Torture

PMID: 2920549-- MUID: 89152247

Validation of PTSD Measures for Older Combat Veterans. (See also PTSD) (further information available on the web)

Hyer L, Walker C, Swanson G, Sperr S, Sperr E, Blount J. Veterans Administration Medical Center, Augusta, Georgia. J Clin Psychol 1992 Sep; 48(5):579-588.

Brief Description: Researchers studied age and PTSD. The PTSD measures helped to identify the disorder for the older groups.

Keywords: Age Factors, Aged, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Human, Male, Middle Age, MMPI/statistics & numerical data, Personality Inventory /statistics & numerical data, Psychometrics, Reproducibility of Results, Veterans/psychology, Vietnam

PMID: 1401141-- MUID: 93016954

The MMPI Profile of Prisoners of War. (further information available on the web)

Klonoff H, Clark C, Horgan J, Kramer P, McDougall G. No Affiliation Available. *J Clin Psychol* 1976 Jul; 32(3):623-627.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Canada/ethnology, Comparative Study, Concentration Camps, Depression/ diagnosis, Diagnosis, Differential, Follow-Up Studies, Germany, Human, Hypochondriasis/ diagnosis, Hysteria/diagnosis, Japan, Male, Mental Disorders/diagnosis, Middle Age, MMPI, Organic Mental Disorders, Psychotic/diagnosis, Prisoners, Prisons, Schizophrenia/diagnosis, War

PMID: 956427-- MUID: 76260633

MMPI Overreporting by Vietnam Combat Veterans. *(See also PTSD)* (further information available on the web)

Hyer L, Fallon JH Jr, Harrison WR, Boudewyns PA. No Affiliation Available. *J Clin Psychol* 1987 Jan; 43(1):79-83.

Brief Description: The MMPI-PTSD scale may have problems with symptom exaggeration. The authors caution the use of this scale.

Keywords: Human, MMPI, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Truth Disclosure, Veterans/psychology, Vietnam

PMID: 3558843-- MUID: 87166795

An Investigation of the Utility of an MMPI Posttraumatic Stress Disorder Subscale. *(See also PTSD)* (further information available on the web)

Gayton WF, Burchstead GN, Matthews GR. No Affiliation Available. *J Clin Psychol* 1986 Nov; 42(6):916-917.

Brief Description: Researchers compared PTSD subscale scores of Vietnam combat veterans with PTSD and with other psychiatric diagnoses. The diagnostic hit rates were not as high as originally reported.

Keywords: Adult, Human, Male, MMPI, Psychometrics, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Veterans/psychology, Vietnam

PMID: 3805305-- MUID: 87109847

Failure to Detect Fabricated Posttraumatic Stress Disorder With The Use of the MMPI in a Clinical Population. *(See also PTSD)* (further information available on the web)

Perconte ST, Goreczny AJ. Highland Drive VA Medical Center, Psychology Service, Pittsburgh, PA 15206. *Am J Psychiatry* 1990 Aug; 147(8):1057-1060.

Brief Description: Researchers tried to distinguish real from feigned symptoms of PTSD using the Frequency (F) scale of the MMPI's PTSD subscale. The F scale failed to detect more than half of the Vietnam veterans with PTSD.

Keywords: Adult, Diagnosis, Differential, Factitious Disorders/diagnosis, Human, Male, Malingering/diagnosis, Mental Disorders/diagnosis, MMPI, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Veterans/psychology

PMID: 2375441-- MUID: 90328367

Current and Lifetime Psychiatric Disorders Among Veterans with War Zone-Related Posttraumatic Stress Disorder. (See also PTSD) [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Orsillo SM, Weathers FW, Litz BT, Steinberg HR, Huska JA, Keane TM. Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Boston, Massachusetts-USA, J Nerv Ment Dis 1996 May; 184(5):307-313.

Brief Description: This study addresses the relationship of war-zone-related PTSD and other disorders. It finds that PTSD is associated with high rates of mood disorders and anxiety disorders.

Keywords: Adult, Anxiety Disorders/epidemiology, Anxiety Disorders/diagnosis, Combat Disorders/epidemiology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Comorbidity, Comparative Study, Human, Male, Mental Disorders/epidemiology, Mental Disorders/diagnosis, Middle Age, MMPI, Personality Disorders/epidemiology, Personality Disorders/diagnosis, Personality Inventory, Prevalence, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/epidemiology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Substance Use Disorders/epidemiology, Substance Use Disorders/diagnosis, Veterans/psychology

PMID: 8627277-- MUID: 96221822

Correspondence Between MMPI PTSD Measures and Clinical Diagnosis. (See also PTSD) [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Cannon DS, Bell WE, Andrews RH, Finkelstein AS. Psychology Service, Veterans Administration Medical Center, Dallas, TX 75216. J Pers Assess 1987; 51(4):517-521.

Brief Description: The PTSD subscale of the MMPI has a high false-positive rate. Although it is a good diagnostic tool, it should not be used to establish the diagnosis.

Keywords: Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Human, Male, MMPI, Psychometrics, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S.

PMID: 3681638-- MUID: 88062007

MMPI Profiles of Veterans of WWII and Korea: Comparisons of Former POWs and Combat Survivors. (further information available on the web)

Sutker PB, Allain AN Jr. Veterans Affairs Medical Center, New Orleans, LA 70146. Psychol Rep 1991 Feb; 68(1):279-284.

Brief Description: Former POWs, compared with servicemen not held captive, had elevated scores on the Hypochondriasis, Depression, and Hysteria scales. Other scales—Psychasthenia, Paranoia, and Ego Strength—are also useful in differentiating groups.

Keywords: Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Human, Male, Middle Age, MMPI/statistics & numerical data, Prisoners/psychology, Psychometrics, Survival/psychology, Veterans/psychology

PMID: 2034767-- MUID: 91239739

Coping and Recovery Styles in the Vietnam Era Prisoner of War. (further information available on the web)

Ursano RJ, Wheatley R, Sledge W, Rahe A, Carlson E. No Affiliation Available. J Nerv Ment Dis 1986 Dec; 174(12):707-714.

Brief Description: The authors studied USAF POW methods of coping with captivity. No single coping style stands out as having an increased risk of psychiatric morbidity after repatriation.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Aerospace Medicine, Human, Mental Disorders/psychology, Mental Disorders/diagnosis, Military Psychiatry, MMPI, Personality Tests, Prisoners/psychology, Vietnam, War

PMID: 3783137-- MUID: 87059808

Comorbidity of Psychiatric Disorders and Personality Profiles of American World War II Prisoners of War. (See also PTSD) (further information available on the web)

Engdahl BE, Speed N, Eberly RE, Schwartz J. Psychology Service, U. S. Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center-Minneapolis, Minnesota 55417. J Nerv Ment Dis 1991 Apr; 179(4):181-187.

Brief Description: The majority of a group of WWII POWs had a combination of depressive and anxiety disorders. The group was also characterized by the personality styles of suppression and denial.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Anxiety Disorders/epidemiology, Comorbidity, Denial (Psychology), Depressive Disorder/epidemiology, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Life Change Events, Male, Minnesota/epidemiology, MMPI, Personality Disorders/epidemiology, Prevalence, Prisoners/psy-chology, Social Adjustment, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/epidemiology, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, Veterans/psychology

PMID: 2007887-- MUID: 91178528

Civilian-related Post-traumatic Stress Disorder: Assessment-related Issues. (See also PTSD) [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

McCaffrey RJ, Hickling EJ, Marrazo MJ. Center for Stress and Anxiety Disorders, University at Albany, State Universityof New York 12203. J Clin Psychol 1989 Jan; 45(1):72-76.

Brief Description: Do the techniques and tools for diagnosing combat-related PTSD apply to civilian-related PTSD? The differences are great enough to warrant further research.

Keywords: Accidents, Traffic, Adult, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Female, Human, Male, Psychometrics, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Violence

PMID: 2925887-- MUID: 89175505

Applying Posttraumatic Stress Disorder MMPI Subscale to World War II POW Veterans. (See also PTSD) [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Query WT, Megran J, McDonald G. No Affiliation Available, J Clin Psychol 1986 Mar; 42(2):315-317.

Brief Description: Is it possible to apply to MMPI-PTSD subscale to WWII POWs as well as to Vietnam veterans? Research showed that generalizations could be made to older veterans, but the subscale cannot distinguish between Pacific-theater and European POWs.

Keywords: Age Factors, Human, Male, MMPI, Psychometrics, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. , United States, Vietnam, War

PMID: 3958202-- MUID: 86168926

A Reevaluation of the Use of the MMPI in the Assessment of Combat-related Posttraumatic Stress Disorder. (See also PTSD) [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Vanderploeg RD, Sison GF Jr, Hickling EJ. No Affiliation Available, J Pers Assess 1987; 51(1):140-150.

Brief Description: The authors attempted to validate previous work in the diagnosis of combat-related PTSD using MMPI decision rules. It is a complicated diagnosis because so many PTSD symptoms exist in other diagnostic groups.

Keywords: Chronic Disease, Depressive Disorder/diagnosis, Diagnosis, Differential, Human, Male, MMPI, Pain/diagnosis, Psychotic Disorders/diagnosis, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis

PMID: 3572707-- MUID: 87198046

Morbidity

Follow-up Studies of World War II and Korean War Prisoners. II. Morbidity-disability, and Maladjustments. (See also Diet and Nutrition) [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Beebe GW. No Affiliation Available. Am J Epidemiol 1975 May; 101(5):400-422.

Brief Description: Sequelae of the POW experience are greatest among Pacific WWII survivors. Excess morbidity correlates with weight loss and poor nutrition in captivity.

Keywords: Aged, Body Weight, Cornell Medical Index Disabled, Emotions, Family Characteristics, Follow-Up Studies, Hospitalization, Human, Infection/epidemiology, Korea, Male, Middle Age, Morbidity, Neoplasm's/epidemiology, Neurotic Disorders/epidemiology, Nutrition Disorders/epidemiology, Parasitic Diseases/epidemiology, Prisoners, Psychotic Disorders/epidemiology, Questionnaires, Racial Stocks, Schizophrenia/epidemiology, Social Adjustment, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. , Time Factors, United States, Veterans Disability Claims, War

PMID: 124131-- MUID: 75162155

Influence of Traumatizing Factors During Captivity on Somatic and Psychiatric Morbidity in Former Prisoners of War. [Article in French] [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Donnay JM, Dethienne F, Meyers C. No Affiliation Available. Acta Psychiatr Belg 1975 Jan; 75(1):33-48.

Brief Description: This study links the effect of traumatic experiences with the current status of former POWs. To generalize, even a minimal number of traumas can result in anxiety in the patient and a predisposition to depression and psychosomatic disorders.

Keywords: Aged, Belgium, Comparative Study, English Details, Health Status Indicators, Human, Male, Mental Disorders/epidemiology, Middle Age, Morbidity, Prisons, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Psychophysiological Disorders, Stress, Psychological, War

PMID: 1232761-- MUID: 76274591

Comorbidity of Psychiatric Disorders and Personality Profiles of American World War II Prisoners of War. (See also MMPI) [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Engdahl BE, Speed N, Eberly RE, Schwartz J. Psychology Service, U. S. Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center-Minneapolis, Minnesota 55417. J Nerv Ment Dis 1991 Apr; 179(4):181-187.

Brief Description: Researchers studied the negative effects of trauma experienced by POWs in WWII. The subjects were characterized by symptoms of anxiety and depression and by personality styles of suppression and denial.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Anxiety Disorders/epidemiology, Comorbidity, Denial (Psychology), Depressive Disorder/epidemiology, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Life Change Events, Male, Minnesota/epidemiology, MMPI, Personality Disorders/epidemiology,

Prevalence, Prisoners/psychology, Social Adjustment, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/epidemiology, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, Veterans/psychology

PMID: 2007887-- MUID: 91178528

Australian Vietnam Veterans: Factors Contributing to Psychosocial problems.
(further information available on the web)

Grayson DA, Marshall RP, Dobson M, O'Toole BI, Schureck RJ, Ffrench M-Pulvertaft B, Meldrum L. Centre for Education and Research on Ageing, Repatriation General Hospital at Concord, New South Wales, Australia. Aust N Z J Psychiatry 1996 Oct; 30(

Brief Description: Researchers collected data from four time periods: pre-service, Vietnam service, return from Vietnam, and present day. Combat and poor homecoming experiences led to PTSD and social dysfunction, but the effects cannot be traced to characteristics of veterans before going to Vietnam.

Keywords: Adolescence, Adult, Aged, Australia/epidemiology, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/epidemiology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Male, Middle Age, Personality Inventory, Risk Factors, Sampling Studies, Social Adjustment, Stress, Psychological/complications, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, Veterans/statistics & numerical data, Veterans/psychology, Vietnam

PMID: 8902167-- MUID: 97057837

Australian prisoners of war of the Japanese: post-war psychiatric hospitalisation and psychological morbidity. (further information available on the web)

Tennant C, Goulston K, Dent O. No Affiliation Available. Aust N Z J Psychiatry 1986 Sep; 20(3):334-340.

Brief Description: Forty years after WWII, Australian POWs had more depressive/anxiety disorders and psychiatric illnesses than a comparison group of combat veterans. With the exception of POWs having more ulcers, the physical health of the two groups was similar.

Keywords: Aged, Anxiety Disorders/epidemiology, Australia, Depressive Disorder/epidemiology, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Male, Mental Disorders/epidemiology, Middle Age, Peptic Ulcer/epidemiology, Prisoners/psychology, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, Veterans/psychology, War

PMID: 3467712-- MUID: 87099712

Chronic morbidity of former prisoners of war and other Australian veterans. (further information available on the web)

Venn AJ, Guest CS. Department of Community Medicine, University of Melbourne, Carlton, Vic. Med J Aust 1991 Nov 18; 155(10):705-707.

Brief Description: This study confirmed that the following five conditions are attributable to long-term war service and captivity: strongyloidiasis, peptic ulcer, anxiety, depression, and hepatitis B.

Keywords: Australia/epidemiology; Chronic Disease; Hepatitis, Viral, Human/epidemiology; Human; Mental Disorders/epidemiology; Musculoskeletal Diseases/etiology; Nervous System Diseases/epidemiology; Peptic Ulcer/epidemiology; Prisoners; Strongyloidiasis/epidemiology; Support, Non-U. S. Gov't; Veterans; Vietnam; War

PMID: 1943902-- MUID: 92048781

New investigations on the mortality and morbidity of Norwegian ex-concentration camp prisoners. (further information available on the web)

Eitinger L, Strom A. No Affiliation Available. Isr J Psychiatry Relat Sci 1981; 18(3):173-195.

Brief Description: No description available.

Keywords: Adult; Aged; Concentration Camps; Female; Hospitals, Psychiatric; Human; Male; Mental Disorders/mortality; Middle Age; Norway; Prisoners/psychology; Prisons

PMID: 7333795-- MUID: 82141442

PTSD

PTSD among Israeli former prisoners of war and soldiers with combat stress reaction: a longitudinal study. (further information available on the web)

Solomon Z, Neria Y, Ohry A, Waysman M, Ginzburg K. Mental Health Department, Medical Corps, Israel Defense Forces, Am J Psychiatry 1994 Apr; 151(4):554-559.

Brief Description: Researchers studied the effect of captivity and combat stress reaction on the incidence of PTSD in Israeli veterans and POWs. The groups recovered at different rates, and some still suffered from PTSD almost 20 years later.

Keywords: Adaptation-Psychological, Adult, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/epidemiology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Israel/epidemiology, Life Change Events, Longitudinal Studies, Male, Middle Age, Military

Personnel/psychology, Personality Inventory, Prisoners/psychology, Severity of Illness Inde,X Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/epidemiology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, Veterans/psychology, War

PMID: 8147453-- MUID: 94197259

Released Bosnian prisoners of war. High risk of posttraumatic symptoms. [Article in Swedish] [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Bjorn A, Eriksson T. Allmankirurgi och neurokirurgi, Universitetssjukhuset, Linkoping. Lakartidningen 1993 Jun 16; 90(24):2305-2308.

Brief Description: Researchers examined the extremely traumatic experiences of survivors of ethnic-cleansing camps in Bosnia. Being reunited with family members and knowing the status of other relatives are critical to recovery and avoidance of PTSD.

Keywords: Adolescence, Adult, Bosnia-Herzegovina/ethnology, Case Report, Child, Concentration Camps, English Details, Female, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Male, Middle Age, Prisoners/psychology, Psychophysiologic Disorders/physiopathology, Psychophysiologic Disorders/etiology, Psychophysiologic Disorders/diagnosis, Refugees/psychology, Risk Factors, Socioeconomic Factors, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/physiopathology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/etiology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Sweden, War

PMID: 8316005-- MUID: 93302354

A reevaluation of the use of the MMPI in the assessment of combat-related posttraumatic stress disorder. (See also MMPI) [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Vanderploeg RD, Sison GF Jr, Hickling EJ. No Affiliation Available, J Pers Assess 1987; 51(1):140-150.

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PMID: 3572707-- MUID: 87198046

Recovered Memories. [LETTER] [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Anderson WH. No Affiliation Available. N Engl J Med 1996 Jan 25; 334(4):274.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Human; Research/standards; Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology

PMID: 8532019-- MUID: 96132579

Reaction of Vietnam Veterans to the Persian Gulf War. (further information available on the web)

Kobrick FR. Veteran's Outreach Center, Forest Hills, NY 11375. Health Soc Work 1993 Aug; 18(3):165-171.

Brief Description: Traumatic memories of war can be triggered by a current or recent war. For example, the Persian Gulf War caused intense reactions in some Vietnam veterans.

Keywords: Case Report; Combat Disorders/psychology; Dreams; Human; Male; Middle Age; Middle East; Recall; Veterans/psychology; Vietnam; War

PMID: 8406221-- MUID: 94010541

Psychopathology and psychiatric diagnoses of World War II Pacific theater prisoner of war survivors and combat veterans. (further information available on the web)

Sutker PB, Allain AN Jr, Winstead DK. VA Medical Center, New Orleans, LA 70146. Am J Psychiatry 1993 Feb; 150(2):240-245.

Brief Description: Researchers studied psychological and psychiatric sequelae of WWII combat veterans and POWs. The major difference between the two groups was the rate of PTSD diagnoses.

Keywords: Aged, Comparative Study, Concentration Camps, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Japan, Life Change Events, Male, Mental Disorders/psychology, Mental Disorders/epidemiology, Mental Disorders/diagnosis, Middle Age, Prisoners/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. , Veterans/psychology, War

PMID: 8422074-- MUID: 93135263

Prevalence of somatic and psychiatric disorders among former prisoners of war. (further information available on the web)

Eberly RE, Engdahl BE. Psychology Service, Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Minneapolis-Minnesota 55417. Hosp Community Psychiatry 1991 Aug; 42(8):807-813.

Brief Description: As American former POWs age, they seek more and more health care. As a group, they have slightly more depressive disorders and much higher rates of PTSD.

Keywords: Alcoholism/psychology, Alcoholism/epidemiology, Bipolar Disorder/psychology, Bipolar Disorder/epidemiology, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/epidemiology, Comparative Study, Cross-Sectional Studies, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Incidence, Male, Minnesota/epidemiology, Morbidity, Prisoners/statistics & numerical data, Prisoners/psychology, Schizophrenia/epidemiology, Schizophrenic Psychology

PMID: 1894254-- MUID: 91372794

A Profile of Help-seeking Australian Veterans. (further information available on the web)

Creamer M, Jackson A, Ball R. Department of Psychology, University of Melbourne, Parkville, Victoria-Australia. J Trauma Stress 1996 Jul; 9(3):569-575.

Brief Description: American and Australian veterans of the Vietnam War are broadly comparable in terms of posttraumatic stress, anxiety/depression, and problems with relationship and pensions/benefits.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Adult, Australia/epidemiology, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/epidemiology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Comparative Study, Cross-Cultural Comparison, Human, Male, Middle Age, Patient Acceptance of Health Care, Personality Inventory, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, Veterans/statistics & numerical data, Veterans/psychology, Vietnam

PMID: 8827656-- MUID: 96425205

Symptom responses of female Vietnam veterans to Operation Desert Storm. [published erratum appears in Am J Psychiatry 1992 Aug; 149(8):1129]. (further information available on the web)

Wolfe J, Brown PJ, Bucsel ML. Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Boston, MA 02130, Am J Psychiatry 1992 May; 149(5):676-679.

Brief Description: Researchers found that most female Vietnam veterans are likely to develop stress-related symptoms after the onset of another military conflict, such as Operation Desert Storm. Those with PTSD are at greater risk of suffering greater distress.

Keywords: Adult, Aged, Comparative Study, Female, Human, Iraq, Life Change Events, Male, Middle Age, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Sex Factors, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Veterans/psychology, Vietnam, War

PMID: 1497718-- MUID: 92246218

PTSD 40 Years Later: Incidence and Person-Situation Correlates in Former POWs [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Zeiss RA, Dickman HR. Veterans Administration Medical Center, Palo Alto, California 94304. J Clin Psychol 1989 Jan; 45(1):80-87.

Brief Description: Although the intensity of the POW experience did not predict current symptomatology, rank at time of capture was a strong predictor of PTSD.

Keywords: Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Cross-Sectional Studies, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Manuals, Middle Age, Prisoners/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Veterans/psychology, Virginia, War

PMID: 2784447-- MUID: 89175507

Posttraumatic Stress Disorder in World War Two Veterans. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Macleod AD. Christchurch Hospital. N Z Med J 1991 Jul 10; 104(915):285-288.

Brief Description: The effects of trauma in WWII veterans are chronic and persistent. Early treatment is considered desirable.

Keywords: Adaptation-Psychological, Aged, Case Report, Chronic Disease, Female, Human, Male, Prognosis, Severity of Illness Inde,X Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/etiology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Veterans/psychology, War

PMID: 1741818-- MUID: 91304755

Post Traumatic Stress Disorder Victims, Survivors and Hostages. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Rollins JW. Isle of Wight Community Health Services, Med Leg J 1994; 62(Pt 1):21-33.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adult, Case Report, Female, Human, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Violence/psychology, War

PMID: 8015508-- MUID: 94285890

Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder in Hostages and Victims of Torture. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Allodi FA. Department of Psychiatry, University of Toronto, Ontario-Canada, Psychiatr Clin North Am 1994 Jun; 17(2):279-288.

Brief Description: This article discusses the similarities and differences of typical PTSD and that brought on by torture and hostage situations. Therapists need special knowledge, training, and sensitivity to treat former hostages and torture victims.

Keywords: Combined Modality Therapy, Human, Patient Care Team, Prisoners/psychology, Refugees/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/therapy, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Survival/psychology, Torture

PMID: 7937359-- MUID: 95023417

Sleep Disturbance and Computerized Axial Tomographic Scan Findings in Former Prisoners of War. (further information available on the web)

Peters J, van Kammen DP, van Kammen WB, Neylan T. Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Pittsburgh, PA 15206. Compr Psychiatry 1990 Nov; 31(6):535-539.

Brief Description: Researchers studied the relationship of structural brain abnormalities on CT scans and sleep EEG findings. The subjects were American WWII POWs with sleep complaints and other PTSD symptoms.

Keywords: Aged, Arousal /physiology, Brain/pathology, Cerebral Ventricles/pathology, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/physiopathology, Human, Male, Middle Age, Organic Mental Disorders/psychology, Organic Mental Disorders/physiopathology, Prisoners/psychology, Sleep Disorders/physiopathology, Sleep Disorders/diagnosis, Sleep Stages/physiology, Tomography, X-Ray Computed, Torture, Veterans/psychology

PMID: 2265537-- MUID: 91092097

Validity and Reliability of the DSM-III Criteria for Posttraumatic Stress Disorder. Experience with a Structured Interview. (further information available on the web)

Davidson J, Smith R, Kudler H. Department of Psychiatry, Duke University Medical Center, Durham-North Carolina 27710. J Nerv Ment Dis 1989 Jun; 177(6):336-341.

Brief Description: This structured interview demonstrated diagnostic validity and construct validity and a significant correlation with observer symptom scales for depression and anxiety.

Keywords: Human, Interview, Psychological, Male, Middle Age, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S.

PMID: 2723621-- MUID: 89257326

Post-Traumatic Stress. Development of a Concept and Current Therapeutic Possibilities. [Article in French] (further information available on the web)

Perren-Klingler G. No Affiliation Available, Rev Med Suisse Romande 1990 Jan; 110(1):77-81.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Concept Formation, Human, Prisoners/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Torture

PMID: 2305162-- MUID: 90161703

Validation of PTSD Measures for Older Combat Veterans. (See also MMPI) (further information available on the web)

Hyer L, Walker C, Swanson G, Sperr S, Sperr E, Blount J. Veterans Administration Medical Center, Augusta, Georgia. J Clin Psychol 1992 Sep; 48(5):579-588.

Brief Description: Researchers studied age and PTSD. The PTSD measures helped to identify the disorder for the older groups.

Keywords: Age Factors, Aged, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Human, Male, Middle Age, MMPI/statistics & numerical data, Personality Inventory/statistics & numerical data, Psychometrics, Reproducibility of Results, Veterans/psychology, Vietnam

PMID: 1401141-- MUID: 93016954

When The War Doesn't End. Counseling POWs. (further information available on the web)

Nelson LF. Tri-College University Nursing Program/Concordia College. J Psychosoc Nurs Ment Health Serv 1989 Jul; 27(7):26-30.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Counseling; Human; Nursing assessment; Prisoners/psychology; Psychotherapy; Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/therapy; Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/nursing; Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis; War

PMID: 2746559-- MUID: 89311259

War Zone Traumas and Posttraumatic Stress Disorder Symptomatology. (further information available on the web)

Fontana A, Rosenheck R, Brett E. Veterans Affairs Northeast Program Evaluation Center, West Haven-Connecticut, J Nerv Ment Dis 1992 Dec; 180(12):748-755.

Brief Description: Researchers classified traumas in terms of the roles played in killing or injuring the enemy: target, observer, agent, and failure. The role of target relates to symptoms of PTSD, whereas the roles of agent and failure (at preventing death and injury) relate to general distress and suicide.

Keywords: Adult, Human, Life Change Events, Male, Models, Psychological, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Role, Severity of Illness Index Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/classification, Suicide, Attempted/psychology, Veterans/psychology, Violence, War

PMID: 1469372-- MUID: 93107878

War-Induced Psychic Trauma: An 18-year Follow-up of Israeli Veterans. (further information available on the web)

Solomon Z, Kleinhauz M. School of Social Work, Tel Aviv University, Israel. Am J Orthopsychiatry 1996 Jan; 66(1):152-160.

Brief Description: Combat stress reaction casualties and control subjects were compared 18 years after the Yom Kippur War. Casualties had more PTSD and psychiatric symptomatology.

Keywords: Adolescence, Adult, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Veterans/psychology, War

PMID: 8720652-- MUID: 96286371

War and Posttraumatic Stress Disorder: The Question of Social Context. (further information available on the web)

Summerfield D, Hume F. Medical Foundation for the Care of Victims of Torture, London-England, J Nerv Ment Dis 1993 Aug; 181(8):522.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Human, Life Change Events, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/etiology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, War

PMID: 8360648-- MUID: 93367435

The Vietnam Veteran: Memory, Social Context, and Metaphor.

Holloway HC, Ursano RJ. UNIFORMED SERVICES UNIV OF THE HEALTH SCIENCES BETHESDA MD, Psychiatry, v47 n2 p103-108 May 84.

Brief Description: An examination of PTSD symptoms leads to greater understanding of the role of memory in psychiatric disorders. The authors present case studies that illustrate the role of memory and the importance of social context and metaphor.

Keywords: Stress(Psychology), POW, Memory, (Psychology), Mental Disorders, Psychological Warfare, Case Studies, Clinical Medicine, Population, Prisoners Of War, Psychiatry, Psychology, Reprints, Signs And Symptoms, Social Psychology, Stresses, Veterans(Military Personnel), Vietnam, Warfare, Stress(Psychology), Military Psychology, Trauma, Combat Stress, Metaphors.

No PMID/MUID

Vietnam Veterans in the General Hospital. (further information available on the web)

Callen KE, Reaves ME, Maxwell MJ, McFarland BH. No Affiliation Available, Hosp Community Psychiatry 1985 Feb; 36(2):150-153.

Brief Description: Many Vietnam veterans with high levels of depression and symptoms of PTSD do not meet the criteria of DSM-III. Patients who are reluctant to talk about their war experiences may be overlooked as Vietnam veterans on medical and surgical wards.

Keywords: Adult, Hospitals, General/utilization, Human, Mental Disorders/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, United States, United States Department of Veterans Affairs, Veterans/psychology, Vietnam

PMID: 3882541-- MUID: 85129015

The Utility of the SCL-90-R For the Diagnosis of War-zone Related Posttraumatic Stress Disorder. (further information available on the web)

Weathers FW, Litz BT, Keane TM, Herman DS, Steinberg HR, Huska JA, Kraemer HC. Boston Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Massachusetts 02130, USA. J Trauma Stress 1996 Jan; 9(1):111-128.

Brief Description: The authors derived WZ-PTSD, a scale for assessing war-zone-related PTSD, from the Symptom Checklist-90-R. The new WZ-PTSD scale is a valuable measure of PTSD because it is internally consistent and has good diagnostic utility.

Keywords: Adult, Human, Male, Middle Age, Psychological Tests, Psychometrics, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, War

PMID: 8750455-- MUID: 96283348

Perspectives on Posttraumatic Stress Disorder. [LETTER] (further information available on the web)

Ursano RJ, Holloway HC. No Affiliation Available. Am J Psychiatry 1985 Dec; 142(12):1526.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Human, Prisoners/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/etiology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Vietnam

PMID: 4073336-- MUID: 86074647

Survivors of Imprisonment in the Pacific Theater During World War II. (further information available on the web)

Goldstein G, van Kammen W, Shelly C, Miller DJ, van Kammen DP. No Affiliation Available. Am J Psychiatry 1987 Sep; 144(9):1210-1213.

Brief Description: Prisoners of the Japanese during WWII still suffer from recurrent nightmares 40 years later. Half of the subjects in this study met all the DSM-III requirements for PTSD.

Keywords: Acting Out; Anxiety Disorders/psychology; Anxiety Disorders/diagnosis; Dreams; Hospitalization; Human; Japan; Male; Middle Age; MMPI; Prisoners/psychology; Sleep Disorders/psychology; Sleep Disorders/diagnosis; Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology; Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis; Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. ; United States; War

PMID: 3631320-- MUID: 87323671

Posttraumatic Stress Disorder in Male and Female Dutch Resistance Veterans of World War II in Relation to Trait Anxiety and Depression. (further information available on the web)

Hovens JE, Falger PR, Op den Velde W, De Groen JH, Van Duijn H. Psychiatric Hospital Het Christelijk Sanatorium-Zeist, Psychol Rep 1994 Feb; 74(1):275-285.

Brief Description: This study evaluates Dutch resistance veterans from WWII with regard to PTSD, trait anxiety, and depression. Results indicated high correlations among these measures.

Keywords: Aged, Anxiety Disorders/psychology, Anxiety Disorders/diagnosis, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Comparative Study, Cross-Cultural Comparison, Depressive Disorder/psychology, Depressive Disorder/diagnosis, Female, Gender Identity, Human, Male, Middle Age, Netherlands, Personality Inventory/statistics & numerical data, Veterans/psychology, War

PMID: 8153220-- MUID: 94204117

Use of the Mississippi Scale for Combat-related PTSD in Detecting War-Related Non-combat Stress Symptomatology. (further information available on the web)

Sloan P, Arsenault L, Hilsenroth M, Harvill L. Psychology Service, Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Mountain Home, Tennessee37684, USA. J Clin Psychol 1995 Nov; 51(6):799-801.

Brief Description: This study found the Mississippi Scale for Desert Storm War Zone Personnel to be an effective tool for identifying war-related stress in non-combatants. Marines' scores on the Mississippi scale corresponded to their PTSD symptoms.

Keywords: Adult, Human, Male, Military Personnel/psychology, Psychological Tests, Psychometrics, Reproducibility of Results, Saudi Arabia, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. , United States, War

PMID: 8778128-- MUID: 96264141

Unusual Long-term Sequelae of a Traumatic War Experience. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Hamilton JW. No Affiliation Available. Bull Menninger Clin 1982 Nov; 46(6):539-541.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Case Report; Dreams; Guilt; Human; Male; Middle Age; Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology; Time Factors; War

PMID: 7150834-- MUID: 83101921

Traumatic War Stressors and Psychiatric Symptoms Among World War II, Korean-and Vietnam War Veterans. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Fontana A, Rosenheck R. Veterans Affairs Northeast Program Evaluation Center, Veterans Affairs Medical Center, West Haven, Connecticut 06516. Psychol Aging 1994 Mar; 9(1):27-33.

Brief Description: Researchers tested three hypotheses, all of which were supported: (a) the more severe the trauma, the more severe the symptoms, (b) the older the veteran, the less severe the symptoms, and (c) symptom levels vary socioculturally.

Keywords: Adult, Aged, Aged, 80 and over, Cohort Studies, Combat Disorders/therapy, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Comparative Study, Europe, Grief, Human, Korea, Male, Middle Age, Personality Assessment, Risk Factors, Social Environment, Suicide/psychology, Suicide/prevention & control, Veterans/psychology, Vietnam, Violence, War

PMID: 8185865-- MUID: 94242288

Traumatic Stress Disorder: Diagnostic and Clinical Issues in Former Prisoners of War. (See also MMPI) [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Miller TW, Martin W, Spiro K. VA Medical Center, Lexington, KY 40511, Compr Psychiatry 1989 Mar; 30(2):139-148.

Brief Description: Researchers collected data on former POWs with PTSD symptoms and found MMPI and MCMI clinical profiles. Their findings suggest behavioral treatment approaches for diagnosed patients.

Keywords: Comparative Study, Escape Reaction, Germany, Human, Japan, Life Change Events, Male, MMPI, Personality Inventory, Prisoners/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/therapy, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Torture

PMID: 2920549-- MUID: 89152247

Symptom and Comorbidity Patterns in World War II and Vietnam Veterans with Posttraumatic Stress Disorder. (further information available on the web)

Davidson JR, Kudler HS, Saunders WB, Smith RD. Department of Psychiatry, Duke University Medical Center, Durham, NC 27705. Compr Psychiatry 1990 Mar; 31(2):162-170.

Brief Description: WWII and Vietnam veterans with PTSD differed in terms of the nature of the traumatic experience. Vietnam veterans showed more severe PTSD symptoms and suffered more guilt, detachment, avoidance, and suicidal tendencies.

Keywords: Adult; Affective Disorders/complications; Aged; Aging; Anxiety Disorders/ complications; Comorbidity; Dissociative Disorders/complications; Human; Interpersonal Relations; Male; Middle Age; Psychiatric Status Rating Scales/methods; Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology; Substance Abuse/complications; Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. ; Time Factors; Veterans/psychology; Vietnam; War

PMID: 2311383-- MUID: 90183347

The Survivor Syndrome. Massive Psychic Trauma and Posttraumatic Stress Disorder. (further information available on the web)

Goderez BI. No Affiliation Available. Bull Menninger Clin 1987 Jan; 51(1):96-113.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Combat Disorders/psychology, Human, Male, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Survival, Veterans/psychology, War

PMID: 3828620-- MUID: 87158351

The Vietnam Era Prisoner of War: Precaptivity Personality and the Development of Psychiatric Illness. (further information available on the web)

Ursano RJ. American Jnl. of Psychiatry, v138 n3 p315-318 Mar 81. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychiatric Assn. (132nd), Chicago, IL.

Brief Description: The author presents case studies of repatriated POWs who happened to have psychiatric evaluations before being captured. No link was found between preexisting illness or a predisposition and the development of psychiatric illness after the war.

Keywords: Post Traumatic Stress Disorder, Combat Stress, Vietnam, Stress(Psychology), Reprints. Personality, Prisoners Of War, Psychiatry, Psychological Warfare, Abnormal Psychology, Case Studies, Illness, Order Disorder Transformations, Reprints, Stresses, Trauma

PMID: 7468826-- MUID: 81131256

Civilian-Related Post-traumatic Stress Disorder: Assessment-related Issues. (See also MMPI) (further information available on the web)

McCaffrey RJ, Hickling EJ, Marrazo MJ. Center for Stress and Anxiety Disorders, University at Albany, State Universityof New York 12203. J Clin Psychol 1989 Jan; 45(1):72-76

Brief Description: Do the techniques and tools for diagnosing combat-related PTSD apply to civilian-related PTSD? The differences are great enough to warrant further research.

Keywords: Accidents, Traffic, Adult, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Female, Human, Male, Psychometrics, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Violence

PMID: 2925887-- MUID: 89175505

Delayed Onset Post-traumatic Stress Disorder in World War II Veterans. (further information available on the web)

Herrmann N, Eryavec G. No Affiliation Available, Can J Psychiatry 1994 Sep; 39(7):439-441.

Brief Description: This article describes WWII veterans who did not manifest symptoms of PTSD for more than 30 years. The authors present theories on the etiology of this delayed-onset syndrome.

Keywords: Aged, Case Report, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Male, Recall, Veterans/psychology, War

PMID: 7987788-- MUID: 95079366

Current and Lifetime Psychiatric Disorders Among Veterans with War Zone-related Posttraumatic Stress Disorder. (See also MMPI) (further information available on the web)

Orsillo SM, Weathers FW, Litz BT, Steinberg HR, Huska JA, Keane TM. Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Boston, Massachusetts-USA, J Nerv Ment Dis 1996 May; 184(5):307-313.

Brief Description: Researchers sought to clarify the relationship between war-zone-related PTSD and other disorders. Veterans with PTSD had higher rates of major depression, bipolar disorder, panic disorder, social phobia, and obsessive-compulsive disorder.

Keywords: Adult, Anxiety Disorders/epidemiology, Anxiety Disorders/diagnosis, Combat Disorders/epidemiology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Comorbidity, Comparative Study, Human, Male, Mental Disorders/epidemiology, Mental Disorders/diagnosis, Middle Age, MMPI, Personality Disorders/epidemiology, Personality Disorders/diagnosis, Personality Inventory, Prevalence, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/epidemiology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Substance Use Disorders/epidemiology, Substance Use Disorders/diagnosis, Veterans/psychology

PMID: 8627277-- MUID: 96221822

Complex Posttraumatic Stress Disorder: An Exploratory Investigation of PTSD and DES NOS Among Dutch War Veterans. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Jongedijk RA, Carlier IV, Schreuder BJ, Gersons BP. Reinier de Graaf Gasthuis, Department of Psychiatry, GA Delft, The Netherlands, J Trauma Stress 1996 Jul; 9(3):577-586.

Brief Description: Results of this study show an association between PTSD and Disorder of Extreme Stress Not Otherwise Specified (DES NOS). In fact, several components of DES NOS help distinguish simple from complex PTSD.

Keywords: Aged, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Combat Disorders/classification, Cross-Cultural Comparison, Human, Male, Middle Age, Netherlands, Personality Assessment/statistics & numerical data, Psychometrics, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/classification, Veterans/psychology

PMID: 8827657-- MUID: 96425206

Post-traumatic Stress Disorder in Australian Prisoners of the Japanese: A Clinical Study. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Watson IP. Department of Psychiatry, University of Tasmania. , Aust N Z J Psychiatry 1993 Mar; 27(1):20-29.

Brief Description: Between 1988 and 1990, subjects were examined for past or present signs of PTSD.

Keywords: Adult, Australia/ethnology, Case Report, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Defense Mechanisms, Disabled/psychology, Dreams, Human, Japan, Male, Personality Assessment, Prisoners/psychology, Torture, Veterans/psychology

PMID: 8481166-- MUID: 93244017

Clinical Presentation of PTSD in World War II Combat Veterans. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Hierholzer R, Munson J, Peabody C, Rosenberg J. Emergency Psychiatric Service, Valley Medical Center, Fresno, CA 93702, Hosp Community Psychiatry 1992 Aug; 43(8):816-820.

Brief Description: Underreporting of PTSD in WWII combat veterans is not uncommon. Symptoms of anxiety, depression, restless sleep, and alcohol dependence combine to form a fairly consistent patient profile.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Aged, Case Report, Combat Disorders/rehabilitation, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Combined Modality Therapy, Human, Male, Prisoners/psychology, Psychotherapy, Psychotropic Drugs/therapeutic use, Recall, United States, Veterans/psychology, War Substances, Psychotropic Drugs,

PMID: 1427683-- MUID: 93052109

Posttraumatic Stress Disorder as a Consequence of the POW Experience. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Speed N, Engdahl B, Schwartz J, Eberly R. Psychiatry Service, Ann Arbor Veterans Administration Medical Center, MI 48105, J Nerv Ment Dis 1989 Mar; 177(3):147-153.

Brief Description: This study found that the strongest predictors of PTSD in WWII POWs were weight loss and torture. The more severe the trauma, the more persistent the symptoms.

Keywords: Aged, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Male, Middle Age, Prisoners/psychology, Risk Factors, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, War, POW survival

PMID: 2918298-- MUID: 89140717

The Effect of Prior Stressful Experience on Coping with War Trauma and Captivity. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Solomon Z. Department of Mental Health Medical Corps, IDF, Israel. Psychol Med 1995 Nov; 25(6):1289-1294.

Brief Description: This study found an association between stressful life events (Holocaust, combat, captivity, etc.) and such outcomes as PTSD. War captivity was the most influential experience.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Adolescence, Adult, Comparative Study, Human, Israel, Life Change Events, Male, Mental Health, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis

PMID: 8637958-- MUID: 96229502

Characteristic Psychiatric Symptomatology of Post-traumatic Stress Disorder in Veterans: A Three Year Follow-up. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Solomon Z. Department of Mental Health, Israel Defense Forces Medical Corps. Psychol Med 1989 Nov; 19(4):927-936.

Brief Description: Israeli veterans of the Lebanon war diagnosed with combat stress reactions were compared with a control group. Obsessive-compulsive tendencies, anxiety, depression, and hostility were more common and more severe among PTSD veterans.

Keywords: Adolescence, Adult, Combat Disorders/psychology, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Israel, Male, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Veterans/psychology

PMID: 2594888-- MUID: 90083513

Combat-related Posttraumatic Stress Disorder. Patterns of Symptomatology in Help-seeking Vietnam Veterans. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Woolfolk RL, Grady DA. Department of Psychology, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey. J Nerv Ment Dis 1988 Feb; 176(2):107-111.

Brief Description: Researchers conducted diagnostic interviews of Vietnam veterans seeking psychological services. The characteristics that pointed to PTSD included anxiety, anger, avoidance of stressful memories, and paranoid ideation.

Keywords: Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Comparative Study, Human, Life Change Events, Male, Manuals/standards, Personality Inventory, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Psychometrics, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Veterans/psychology, Vietnam

PMID: 3339339-- MUID: 88117461

Concurrent Posttraumatic Stress Disorder in Psychogeriatric Patients. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Rosen J, Fields RB, Hand AM, Falsettie G, Van Kammen DP. Department of Psychiatry, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine, PA15213. J Geriatr Psychiatry Neurol 1989 Apr; 2(2):65-69.

Brief Description: Many Vietnam veterans with PTSD have additional psychiatric diagnoses. This study looks at WWII veterans being treated for symptoms other than PTSD who meet DSM-III criteria for past PTSD.

Keywords: Aged, Aged, 80 and over/psychology, Combat Disorders/psychology, Human, Male, Mental Disorders/psychology, Middle Age, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology

PMID: 2775437-- MUID: 89374585

Convergent Validity of Measures of PTSD in Vietnam Combat Veterans. (further information available on the web)

McFall ME, Smith DE, Roszell DK, Tarver DJ, Malas KL. Seattle VA Medical Center, Psychology Service, WA 98108. Am J Psychiatry 1990 May; 147(5):645-648.

Brief Description: Researchers found significant positive correlations between psychometric tests of PTSD and number of symptoms. Also, correlations of combat trauma and various PTSD indexes supported predicted relationships between stressors and symptoms.

Keywords: Adult, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Human, Life Change Events, Male, MMPI, Personality Inventory, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Psychological Tests, Psychometrics, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Support, U. S. Gov't, P. H. S. , Veterans/psychology

PMID: 2327495-- MUID: 90225131

Correspondence Between MMPI PTSD Measures and Clinical Diagnosis. (See also MMPI) (further information available on the web)

Cannon DS, Bell WE, Andrews RH, Finkelstein AS. Psychology Service, Veterans Administration Medical Center, Dallas, TX 75216. J Pers Assess 1987; 51(4):517-521.

Brief Description: The PTSD subscale of the MMPI has a high false-positive rate. Although it is a good diagnostic tool, it should not be used to establish the diagnosis.

Keywords: Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Human, Male, MMPI, Psychometrics, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S.

PMID: 3681638-- MUID: 88062007

Assessment of Long-term Psychosocial Sequelae Among POW Survivors of the Korean Conflict. (further information available on the web)

Sutker PB, Winstead DK, Galina ZH, Allain AN. New Orleans Veterans Administration Medical Center. J Pers Assess 1990; 54(1-2):170-180.

Brief Description: Researchers conducted psychological and psychiatric assessments of former POWs whose symptoms (apprehensiveness, confusion, detachment, depression) had persisted for more than 30 years. They found extreme weight loss and long-term sequelae.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Arousal, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Confusion/psychology, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Korea, Male,

Middle Age, Motivation, Personality Tests, Prisoners/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. , Survival/psychology, Torture, War

PMID: 2313539-- MUID: 90188791

Applying Posttraumatic Stress Disorder MMPI Subscale to World War II POW Veterans. (See also MMPI) (further information available on the web)

Query WT, Megran J, McDonald G. No Affiliation Available, J Clin Psychol 1986 Mar; 42(2):315-317.

Brief Description: Researchers found they could apply the MMPI-PTSD subscale (traditionally used with Vietnam veterans) to a group of older veterans. WWII POWs from the Pacific theater had more PTSD than those from the European theater.

Keywords: Age Factors, Human, Male, MMPI, Psychometrics, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. , United States, Vietnam, War

PMID: 3958202-- MUID: 86168926

The Aftermath of Captivity: An 18-year Follow-up of Israeli Ex-POWs. (further information available on the web)

Ohry A, Solomon Z, Neria Y, Waysman M, Bar-On Z-Levy A. Mental Health Department, Israel Defense Forces, Tel Hashomer Behav Med 1994; 20(1):27-33.

Brief Description: Former POWs had more psychophysiological complaints (and symptoms of PTSD) than the control group. The severity of the disorder depended on the objective and subjective characteristics of captivity.

Keywords: Adult, Follow-Up Studies, Health Status, Human, Israel/epidemiology, Male, Middle Age, Military Personnel/statistics & numerical data, Military Personnel/psychology, Prisoners/statistics & numerical data, Prisoners/psychology, Psychophysiologic Disorders/epidemiology, Psychophysiologic Disorders/diagnosis, Social Support, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/epidemiology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Veterans/statistics & numerical data, Veterans/psychology

PMID: 7919632-- MUID: 95003325

Characteristic Expressions of Combat-related Posttraumatic Stress Disorder Among Israeli Soldiers in the 1982 Lebanon War. (further information available on the web)

Solomon Z, Mikulincer M, Bleich A. Department of Mental Health, Israel Defense Forces Medical Corps. Behav Med 1988; 14(4):171-178.

Brief Description: Researchers screened two groups of front-line soldiers for PTSD one year after the war: those treated for combat stress reaction and controls. The

combat stress group reported such PTSD symptoms as anxiety, depression, hostility, and obsessive-compulsive behavior.

Keywords: Adult, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Israel, Lebanon, Male, Military Personnel/psychology, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, War

PMID: 3256370-- MUID: 89375702

Person and Situation Correlates of Post-traumatic Stress Disorder Among POW Survivors. (further information available on the web)

Sutker PB, Bugg F, Allain AN Jr. Veterans Administration Medical Center, Psychology Service, New Orleans-LA 70146. *Psychol Rep* 1990 Jun; 66(3 Pt 1):912-914.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Aged, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Europe, Human, Korea, Male, Middle Age, Personality Tests, Prisoners/psychology, Risk Factors, Social Environment, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Survival/psychology, Veterans/psychology

PMID: 2377711-- MUID: 90332889

Psychophysiological Assessment of Posttraumatic Stress Disorder Imagery in World War II and Korean Combat Veterans. (See also MMPI) (further information available on the web)

Orr SP, Pitman RK, Lasko NB, Herz LR. Veterans Affairs Research Service, Manchester, New Hampshire 03103. *J Abnorm Psychol* 1993 Feb; 102(1):152-159.

Brief Description: Researchers measured responses of WWII and Korean War veterans who were prompted to remember their combat experiences. The PTSD subjects exhibited larger reactions than those in the non-PTSD group.

Keywords: Aged, Arousal, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Electromyography, Galvanic Skin Response, Heart Rate, Human, Imagination, Male, Middle Age, MMPI, Speech Perception, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. , Veterans/psychology, War

PMID: 8436691-- MUID: 93171412

Chronic PTSD in Vietnam Combat Veterans: Course of Illness and Substance Abuse. (further information available on the web)

Bremner JD, Southwick SM, Darnell A, Charney DS. National Center for Posttraumatic Stress Disorder, West Haven VA MedicalCenter, CT 06516-USA, Am J Psychiatry 1996 Mar; 153(3):369-375.

Brief Description: Vietnam veterans with PTSD were assessed for alcohol and substance abuse. PTSD and the use of alcohol and substances were linked.

Keywords: Alcoholism/epidemiology, Alcoholism/diagnosis, Chronic Disease, Cocaine, Comorbidity, Diagnosis, Dual (Psychiatry), Human, Life Change Events, Longitudinal Studies, Male, Mental Disorders/psychology, Mental Disorders/epidemiology, Mental Disorders/diagnosis, Middle Age, Self Medication, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/epidemiology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Substance Abuse/psychology, Substance Abuse/epidemiology, Substance Abuse/diagnosis, Substance Dependence/psychology, Substance Dependence/epidemiology, Substance Dependence/diagnosis, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. , Veterans/psychology, Vietnam, War Substances, Cocaine

PMID: 8610824-- MUID: 96180602

Posttraumatic Stress Disorder and the World War II Veteran. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Buffum MD, Wolfe NS. No Affiliation Available, Geriatr Nurs 1995 Nov; 16(6):264-270.

Brief Description: This article describes the physical, psychological, and social manifestations of PTSD in WWII combat veterans. The stresses of aging and losing loved ones can trigger long-delayed PTSD symptoms.

Keywords: Aged, Case Report, Geriatric Nursing, Human, Male, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/nursing, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/epidemiology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/classification, United States/epidemiology, Veterans/psychology, War

PMID: 7498816-- MUID: 96099149

Effect of the Gulf War on Reactivation of Adverse Combat-related Memories in Vietnam Veterans. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Long N, Chamberlain K, Vincent C. Department of Psychology, Massey University, Palmerston North, New Zealand. J Clin Psychol 1994 Mar; 50(2):138-144.

Brief Description: Researchers studied the effects of media coverage of the Gulf War on New Zealand veterans of the Vietnam War with a history of PTSD. Previous combat experience seemed to increase the likelihood of news reports bringing on a recurrence of PTSD symptoms and distress.

Keywords: Adult, Aged, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Male, Middle Age, Middle East, New Zealand/ethnology, Personality Inventory, Recall, Recurrence, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, Veterans/psychology, Vietnam, War

PMID: 8014236-- MUID: 94284344

Patterns of Appraisal and Coping Across Different Stressor Conditions Among Former Prisoners of War With and Without Posttraumatic Stress Disorder. (See also MMPI) (further information available on the web)

Fairbank JA, Hansen DJ, Fitterling JM. Center for Social Research and Policy Analysis, Research Triangle Institute-North Carolina 27709. J Consult Clin Psychol 1991 Apr; 59(2):274-281.

Brief Description: To find out more about survivors' coping mechanisms, this study compared WWII RPOWs with chronic PTSD, RPOWs without PTSD, and noncombat veterans. RPOWs with PTSD had less control over memories of war and had more of a tendency to cope with these memories by isolating themselves than did the other two groups.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Arousal, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Male, MMPI, Prisoners/psychology, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Support, U. S. Gov't, P. H. S. , Veterans/psychology

PMID: 2030188-- MUID: 91231567

Multiple Diagnosis in Posttraumatic Stress Disorder. The Role of War Stressors. (further information available on the web)

Green BL, Lindy JD, Grace MC, Gleser GC. Department of Psychiatry, University of Cincinnati Medical School, OH45267-0539. J Nerv Ment Dis 1989 Jun; 177(6):329-335.

Brief Description: Researchers studied veterans' war stressor experiences to help predict PTSD and other diagnoses. They found that risky assignments and the horror of war were among the most important war stressors in accounting for different diagnostic combinations.

Keywords: Adult, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Combat Disorders/complications, Human, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/complications, Support, U. S. Gov't, P. H. S. , Vietnam, War

PMID: 2723620-- MUID: 89257325

Medical and Psychological Aspects of Captivity. [Article in Hebrew] (further information available on the web)

Ohry A. No Affiliation Available. Harefuah 1989 Jun 1; 116(11):594-596.

Brief Description: No description available.

Keywords: Human, Prisoners /psychology, Stress, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic, War

PMID: 2676776-- MUID: 90007091

MCMI Characteristics of DSM-III Posttraumatic Stress Disorder in Vietnam Veterans. (further information available on the web)

Robert JA, Ryan JJ, McEntyre WL, McFarland RS, Lips OJ, Rosenberg SJ. No Affiliation Available. J Pers Assess 1985 Jun; 49(3):226-230.

Brief Description: Researchers compared MCMI profiles of two groups: veterans diagnosed with PTSD and those whose psychiatric disorders tend to cause problems in diagnosing PTSD. The profiles were significantly different.

Keywords: Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Diagnosis, Differential, Female, Human, Male, Personality Inventory, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Vietnam, War

PMID: 4032198-- MUID: 85292489

Long-term Effects of Trauma: Post-Traumatic Stress Among Civilian Internees of the Japanese During World War II. (further information available on the web)

Potts MK. Department of Social Work, California State University, Long Beach 90840-0902. J Clin Psychol 1994 Sep; 50(5):681-698.

Brief Description: This study found an association of higher levels of PTSD with poor physical health, especially among older internees. The author discusses the implications for clinical gerontology.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Aged, Aged, 80 and over, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Concentration Camps, Female, Follow-Up Studies, Geriatric Assessment, Health Status, Human, Japan, Male, Middle Age, Prisoners/psychology, Psychophysiological Disorders/psychology, Psychophysiological Disorders/diagnosis, Social Adjustment, Somatoform Disorders/psychology, Somatoform Disorders/diagnosis, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, Time Factors, War

PMID: 7806644-- MUID: 95105315

An Investigation of the Utility of an MMPI Posttraumatic Stress Disorder Subscale. (See also MMPI) (further information available on the web)

Gayton WF, Burchstead GN, Matthews GR. No Affiliation Available. J Clin Psychol 1986 Nov; 42(6):916-917.

Brief Description: Researchers compared PTSD subscale scores of Vietnam combat veterans with PTSD and with other psychiatric diagnoses. The diagnostic hit rates were not as high as originally reported.

Keywords: Adult, Human, Male, MMPI, Psychometrics, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Veterans/psychology, Vietnam

PMID: 3805305-- MUID: 87109847

The Health and Mental Health of New Zealand Vietnam War Veterans with Posttraumatic Stress Disorder. (further information available on the web)

Long N, Chamberlain K, Vincent C. Department of Psychology, Massey University, Palmerston North. NZ, Med J 1992 Oct 28; 105(944):417-419.

Brief Description: This article suggests that PTSD may be underused as a diagnostic tool and that physicians need to be alert to military service as an indicator.

Keywords: Adult, Affective Symptoms/etiology, Case-Control Studies, Chronic Disease, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/complications, Health Status, Human, Male, Mental Health, Middle Age, New Zealand, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, Veterans, Vietnam, War

PMID: 1297934-- MUID: 93218881

Forty-year Follow-up of United States Prisoners of War. (further information available on the web)

Kluznik JC, Speed N, Van Valkenburg C, Magraw R. No Affiliation Available. Am J Psychiatry 1986 Nov; 143(11):1443-1446.

Brief Description: Structured psychiatric examinations of former POWs revealed that many had had PTSD. There was no correlation of PTSD with other mental disorders and no instances of delayed onset.

Keywords: Chronic Disease, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Male, Mental Disorders/epidemiology, Mental Disorders/diagnosis, Minnesota, Personality Inventory, Prisoners, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/epidemiology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, War

PMID: 3777238-- MUID: 87046491

Forbidden Games: Post-Traumatic Child's Play. (further information available on the web)

Terr LC. No Affiliation Available, J Am Acad Child Psychiatry 1981; 20(4):741-760.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adolescence, Adult, Anxiety/etiology, Case Report, Child, Child, Preschool, Compulsive Behavior/etiology, Defense Mechanisms, Female, Human, Infant, Male, Play and Playthings, Prisoners/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Time Factors

PMID: 7328250-- MUID: 82120891

Failure to Detect Fabricated Posttraumatic Stress Disorder With the Use of the MMPI in a Clinical Population (See also MMPI). (further information available on the web)

Perconte ST, Goreczny AJ. Highland Drive VA Medical Center, Psychology Service, Pittsburgh, PA 15206. Am J Psychiatry 1990 Aug; 147(8):1057-1060.

Brief Description: Researchers tried to distinguish real from feigned symptoms of PTSD using the Frequency (F) scale of the MMPI's PTSD subscale. The F scale failed to detect more than half of the Vietnam veterans with PTSD.

Keywords: Adult, Diagnosis, Differential, Factitious Disorders/diagnosis, Human, Male, Malingering/diagnosis, Mental Disorders/diagnosis, MMPI, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Veterans/psychology

PMID: 2375441-- MUID: 90328367

Effects of the Persian Gulf War on Veterans with Combat-related Post-traumatic Stress Disorder. (further information available on the web)

Leetz KL, Martino-Saltzman D, Dean RC. Department of Psychiatry, Emory University School of Medicine, Atlanta, GA90322. Mil Med 1993 Jan; 158(1):19-22.

Brief Description: Researchers used the Mississippi Scale and the Impact of Event Scale to assess the PTSD symptoms of veterans in a VA mental health clinic.

Keywords: Adult, Human, Male, Middle Age, Middle East, Prospective Studies, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, United States, Veterans, War

PMID: 8437735-- MUID: 93173352

MMPI Overreporting by Vietnam Combat Veterans. (See also MMPI) (further information available on the web)

Hyer L, Fallon JH Jr, Harrison WR, Boudewyns PA. No Affiliation Available. J Clin Psychol 1987 Jan; 43(1):79-83.

Brief Description: The MMPI-PTSD scale may have problems with symptom exaggeration. The authors caution the use of this scale.

Keywords: Human, MMPI, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Truth Disclosure, Veterans/psychology, Vietnam

PMID: 3558843-- MUID: 87166795

Post-traumatic Stress Disorder in Prisoners of War and Combat Veterans of the Dieppe Raid: A 50-year Follow-up. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Beal AL. East York Board of Education, Toronto-Ontario, Can J Psychiatry 1995 May; 40(4):177-184.

Brief Description: Canadian combat veterans and former POWs completed questionnaires on PTSD and other psychological and health-related problems. POWs had higher rates of PTSD symptoms than non-POWs, and there were strong links between PTSD and POWs' maltreatment and mental suffering.

PMID: 7621386-- MUID: 95346855

The Stockholm Syndrome

The Stockholm Syndrome. [Article in French] [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Skurnik N. Faculte de Medecine de Bobigny, Departement de Psychopathologie. Ann Med Psychol (Paris) 1988 Jan; 146(1-2):174-181.

Brief Description: This article discusses the criteria and parameters of lengthy hostage situations in which the victims eventually sympathize with the hostage-takers.

Keywords: Defense Mechanisms, English Details, Fear, Human, Identification (Psychology), Interpersonal Relations, Prisoners/psychology, Stress, Psychological/psychology, Sweden, Syndrome, Violence

PMID: 3415129-- MUID: 88325189

The Stockholm Syndrome. On the Psychological Reaction of Hostages and Hostage-takers. [Article in German] [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Harnischmacher R, Muther J. No Affiliation Available. Arch Kriminol 1987 Jul; 180(1-2):1-12.

Brief Description: The authors describe the bond between hostage and hostage-taker as a defense mechanism of the ego under stress. The syndrome is an emotional, and possibly life-saving, reaction to the trauma of being a victim because it reduces the hostage-taker's tendency toward violence.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Adult, English Details, Female, Human, Interpersonal Relations, Male, Prisoners/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Sweden, Theft

PMID: 3662732-- MUID: 88023158

The Stockholm Syndrome. [EDITORIAL][Article in Spanish] [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Valdes M. Departamento de Psiquiatria y Psicobiologia Clinica, Facultad de Medicina-Universidad de Barcelona. Med Clin (Barc) 1990 Jan 20; 94(2):56-57.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Human, Prisoners/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Syndrome

PMID: 2329844-- MUID: 90230870

The Stockholm Syndrome: Law Enforcement Policy and Ego Defenses of the Hostage. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Strentz T. No Affiliation Available. Ann NY Acad Sci 1980; 347:137-150.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Adult, Defense Mechanisms, Ego, Fear, Female, Human, Male, Prisoners/psychology, Public Policy, Sweden, Theft, Violence

PMID: 6930893-- MUID: 80240434

Stress

Long-term Stress Residuals in Former Prisoners of the Yom Kippur War. [Article in Hebrew] [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Solomon Z, Neria Y, Ohry A. Mental Health Dept. , Medical Corps, Israel Defence Forces. Harefuah 1995 Jan 15; 128(2):65-71.

Brief Description: Researchers studied the long-term effects of captivity. They found that former POWs had more severe psychiatric symptoms and more adjustment problems than other combat veterans.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, English Details, Human, Israel/epidemiology, Prisoners/psy-chology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/epidemiology, War

PMID: 7721175-- MUID: 95237697

Captivity and Culture: Insights from the Desert Storm Prisoner of War Experience. (See also Code of Conduct)

Anderson MA. Naval War Coll Newport RI. Department of Defense publication; Mar 1996.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Stress, (Psychology), Prisoners Of War, Brainwashing, Military Operations, Military History, International Politics, Survivability, Surveys, Military Training, Evasion, Culture, Vietnam, Prisons. Desert Storm Operation, Escape, World War 1, World War 2, War Of 1812, Korean War, Code Of Conduct, Sere(Survival Evasion Resistance Escape)

No PMID/MUID

Combat Stress Reactions in Iraqi Enemy Prisoners of War. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Marcum JM, Cline DW. Westcott Center of Hamilton Medical Center, Dalton, GA 30722. Bull Menninger Clin 1993; 57(4):479-491.

Brief Description: The authors compared Iraqi POWs with two groups of U.S. soldiers. The combat stress reactions of the Iraqi POWs during Operation Desert Storm had few residual effects.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Adult, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Combat Disorders/complications, Comparative Study, Female, Human, Iraq, Male, Military Personnel/psychology, Prisoners/psychology, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Social Alienation, United States, War

PMID: 8287016-- MUID: 94115310

Comparison of World War II, Korean, and Vietnamese Prisoners of War. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Halloran AV. No Affiliation Available. Minn Med 1970 Aug; 53(8):919-922.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Germany; Human; Korea; Male; Military Psychiatry; Prisons; Reward; Sensory Deprivation; Stress, Psychological; Vietnam; Volition; War

PMID: 4919586-- MUID: 71012534

Concentration Camp Imprisonment and Psychological Traumatization. [Article in German] [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Eitinger L. No Affiliation Available . Psyche (Stuttg) 1990 Feb; 44(2):118-132.

Brief Description: A Norwegian study found that, with few exceptions, all prisoners of Nazi concentration camps were permanently scarred—physically and psychologically. All Norwegian survivors are eligible for compensation.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological; Concentration Camps; English Details; Female; Follow-Up Studies; Human; Jews/psychology; Male; Prisoners/psychology; Prisons; Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology; Survival/psychology

PMID: 2315514-- MUID: 90193227

Conceptualising the Outcomes of War Exposure. [LETTER] [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Dobson M, Grayson DA, Marshall RP. No Affiliation Available. Med J Aust 1996 Aug 5; 165(3):175-176.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Human; Male; Mental Disorders/etiology; Mental Disorders/diagnosis; Military Personnel; Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis; War

PMID: 8709893-- MUID: 96339412

De-gendered by Pain. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Mertus J. No Affiliation Available. N Hc Perspect Community 1995 Nov; 16(6):338-339.

Brief Description: No description available.

Keywords: Female, Human, Male, Refugees/psychology, Se,X Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, War, Yugoslavia

PMID: 8705651-- MUID: 96339632

The Silent Enemy. Combat Stress Reaction.

Kreager RA. AIR COMMAND AND STAFF COLL MAXWELL AFB AL, Department of Defense publication, Apr 1986.

Brief Description: The author gives a history of combat stress in American wars and discusses the combat stress reaction of POWs.

Keywords: Battle Fatigue, War Neurosis, Anxiety, and Stress Psychology, Fatigue, Combat Stress Anxiety, Stress, (Psychology), Evolution(General), History, Identification, Israelis, Neuroses, Prevention, Response, Warfare, Fatigue(Physiology), Battle

No PMID/MUID

Legacy of War: Beyond "trauma" to the Social Fabric. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Summerfield DA. Medical Foundation for the Care of Victims of Torture, London, UK. Lancet 1997 May 31; 349(9065):1568.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Bosnia-Herzegovina; Human; Mental Disorders/etiology; Rwanda; Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/etiology; United Nations; War; World Health Organization

PMID: 9174557-- MUID: 97317544

Viet Nam Prisoners of War, Stress, and Personality Resiliency. (further information available on the web)

Singer MT. No Affiliation Available. Am J Psychiatry 1981 Mar; 138(3):345-346.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Human, Male, Mental Disorders/psychology, Military Medicine, Personality, Prisoners/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, United States, Vietnam, War

PMID: 7468831-- MUID: 81131262

Stress Symptomatology Among Vietnam Veterans. Analysis of the Veterans Administration Survey of Veterans. II. (further information available on the web)

True WR, Goldberg J, Eisen SA. Psychiatry Service, Medical Center, St. Louis, MO 63125. Am J Epidemiol 1988 Jul; 128(1):85-92.

Brief Description: The 1979 VA health survey of Vietnam veterans found a significant association between level of combat exposure and symptoms of PTSD. Veterans who were younger, not white, and had less education were more likely to have developed stress symptoms.

Keywords: Adult, Age Factors, Blacks, Combat Disorders/psychology, Health Surveys, Human, Male, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S., United States, United States Department of Veterans Affairs, Veterans/psychology, Vietnam, War

PMID: 3289384-- MUID: 88250261

Risk Factors in Combat Stress Reaction-a Study of Israeli Soldiers in the 1982 Lebanon War. [published erratum appears in Isr J Psychiatry Relat Sci 1986; 23(2):106] (further information available on the web)

Solomon Z, Noy S, Bar-On R. No Affiliation Available. Isr J Psychiatry Relat Sci 1986; 23(1):3-8.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adolescence, Adult, Combat Disorders/psychology, Human, Israel, Male, Middle Age, Military Personnel/psychology, Risk, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, War

PMID: 3759391-- MUID: 87007470

A Redefinition and Examination of the 'Delayed Stress Syndrome' in Returned Prisoners of War from Vietnam.

Metres PJ Jr. NAVAL HEALTH RESEARCH CENTER SAN DIEGO CA. Department of Defense publication, Nov 1976, Paper presented at the 84th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Washington.

Brief Description: The author found no significant increase in adjustment problems for husband or wife one year and two years after the return of the POW. The study was inconclusive as to whether all returned POWs experience a delayed stress syndrome in terms of family adjustment.

Keywords: Prisoners of war, Vietnam, Literature surveys, Stress(Psychology)

No PMID/MUID

Psychotherapy Procedures for Treating Soldiers After Exposure to Acute Stress in the Operations Area (Psychologische Kurztherapieverfahren fur die Behandlung von Soldaten im Einsatzgebiet nach akuter Strebexposition)

Feser H. Bundesministerium Der Verteidigung Bonn (Germany F R). Arbeitsberichte Psychologischer Dienst Der Bundeswehr, Bonn, Germany, Jan 96.

Brief Description: This study makes a case for using psychotherapy in the operational area to prevent mental disorders that could result from torture, battle wounds, panic, and other forms of combat stress. The author presents ten synopses on prevention, psychodiagnostics, and intervention.

Keywords: Stress, (Psychology), Psychotherapy, Management Planning And Control, Military Forces(Foreign), Germany, Psychological Tests, German Language, Planning Programming Budgeting, Abnormal Psychology, Military Psychology, Adjustment (Psychology), Clinical Psychology, Psychologists, Counseling, Mental Disorders, Lcgl Collection, Gray Literature, Copyrighted Materials, Foreign Reports, Ptsd(Post Traumatic Stress Disorder), Acute Stress Disorder

No PMID/MUID

The Prisoner of War: Stress, Illness and Resiliency.

Ursano RJ, Wheatley RD, Carlson EH, Rahe AJ. Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences, Bethesda, MD, Psychiatric Annals, v17 n8 p532-535 1987.

Brief Description: Maltreatment accounts for much of the stress experienced by Vietnam POWs. The authors identify and rate the stressors of captivity to promote understanding of the effects of trauma and terror.

Keywords: Prisoners of War, Stress (Psychology), Trauma, Aerospace Medicine, Elastic Properties, Medicine, Order Disorder Transformations, Prisoners, Psychological Warfare, Resilience, Vietnam, Psychiatry, Illness.

No PMID/MUID

Post World War II Stress Syndrome. [LETTER] [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Krasucki C, Bandyopadhyay D, Hooper E. No Affiliation Available. Lancet 1995 May 13; 345(8959):1240.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Aged, Case Report, Combat Disorders/psychology, Great Britain, Human, Japan, Male, Prisoners/psychology, War

PMID: 7739323-- MUID: 95257690

Life Events and Combat Stress Reaction in the 1982 War in Lebanon. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Solomon Z, Flum H. No Affiliation Available. Isr J Psychiatry Relat Sci 1986; 23(1):9-16.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adolescence, Adult, Combat Disorders/psychology, Human, Israel, Life Change Events, Male, Risk, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, War

PMID: 3759396-- MUID: 87007475

Study Raises Estimate of Vietnam War Stress. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Roberts L. No Affiliation Available. Science 1988 Aug 12; 241(4867):788.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (U. S.), Human, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/epidemiology, United States/ethnology, Vietnam

PMID: 2841757-- MUID: 88305342

Suicide

Assessing Risk of Suicide. Deal with Self Harm in Prisons. [LETTER] [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Rowlands RP. No Affiliation Available, BMJ 1995 Jan 14; 310(6972):127.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adolescence, Adult, Human, Male, Prisoners/psychology, Prisons, Risk Assessment, Suicide/prevention & control

PMID: 7718042-- MUID: 95135189

Prison Suicide: An Overview and Guide to Prevention (Part 2). [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Hayes LM. National Center on Institutions and Alternatives, Mansfield, Massachusetts-USA, Crisis 1995; 16(1):9-12.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Human, Prisoners/psychology, Suicide/trends, Suicide/statistics & numerical data, Suicide/prevention & control, United States/epidemiology

PMID: 7614835-- MUID: 95339715

Suicide in Released Prisoners of War. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Lester D. No Affiliation Available, JAMA 1973 Aug 13; 225(7):747.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Human, Prisoners, Suicide, War

PMID: 4740486-- MUID: 73220656

Suicide Attempts and Self-injury in Prisons. [EDITORIAL] [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Kerkhof AJ, Clark DC. No Affiliation Available, Crisis 1993; 14(4):146-147.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Human, Prisoners/psychology, Self-Injurious Behavior/psychology, Self-Injurious Behavior/prevention & control, Suicide, Attempted/psychology, Suicide, Attempted/prevention & control

PMID: 8156806-- MUID: 94208283

Prison Suicide: An Overview and Guide to Prevention (Part 3). [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Hayes LM. National Center on Institutions and Alternatives, Mansfield, Massachusetts-USA, Crisis 1995; 16(2):63-65.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adult, Crisis Intervention, Human, Louisiana, Male, Mass Screening, Prisoners/psychology, Social Environment, Suicide/psychology, Suicide/prevention & control

PMID: 7587292-- MUID: 96068396

Prison Suicide: An Overview and Guide to Prevention (Part 1). [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Hayes LM. National Center on Institutions and Alternatives, Mansfield, Massachusetts-USA, Crisis 1994; 15(4):155-158.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Facility Design and Construction, Human, Prisoners/psychology, Prisons, Risk Factors, Social Environment, Suicide/psychology, Suicide/prevention & control

PMID: 7729145-- MUID: 95246436

Patterns of Appraisal and Coping Across Different Stressor Conditions Among Former prisoners of war with and without posttraumatic stress disorder. (See also MMPI) [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Fairbank JA, Hansen DJ, Fitterling JM. Center for Social Research and Policy Analysis, Research Triangle Institute-North Carolina 27709. J Consult Clin Psychol 1991 Apr; 59(2):274-281.

Brief Description: To find out more about survivors' coping mechanisms, this study compared WWII RPOWs with chronic PTSD, RPOWs without PTSD, and noncombat veterans. RPOWs with PTSD had less control over memories of war and had more of a tendency to cope with these memories by isolating themselves than did the other two groups.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Arousal, Combat Disorders/psychology, Combat Disorders/diagnosis, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Male, MMPI, Prisoners/psychology, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales, Support, U. S. Gov't, P. H. S. , Veterans/psychology

PMID: 2030188-- MUID: 91231567

Care of Suicidal Prisoners. [LETTER] [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Williams G. No Affiliation Available, BMJ 1993 Nov 20; 307(6915):1355.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: England, Human, Prisoners/psychology, Prisons, Suicide/prevention & control, Wales

PMID: 8257899-- MUID: 94080152

Estimating the Number of Suicides Among Vietnam Veterans. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Pollock DA, Rhodes P, Boyle CA, Decoufle P, McGee DL. Center for Environmental Health and Injury Control, Centers for Disease Control, Atlanta, GA 30333. Am J Psychiatry 1990 Jun; 147(6):772-776.

Brief Description: The authors dispute unconfirmed reports that 50,000 Vietnam veterans have committed suicide. They estimate fewer than 9,000 suicides.

Keywords: Adult, Comparative Study, Human, Male, Risk Factors, Suicide/statistics & numerical data, United States, Veterans/psychology

PMID: 2343923-- MUID: 90261778

Thought Control

Thought Control from Parenting, to Behavior Mod, to Cults, to Brainwashing

Hunter EJ, Hestand RE. United States International Univ San Diego CA, Proceedings of the Symposium: Psychology in the Department of Defense (9th) Held at Colorado Springs, Colorado on 18-20 April 1984.

Brief Description: The authors discuss the prevalence of coercive psychological techniques (in both civilian and military life) and individual differences in susceptibility to thought control. Research has shown that the ability to resist depends on group support, commitment to a cause, and a strong sense of values.

Keywords: Military Psychology, Brainwashing, Coercive Force, Attitudes, (Psychology), Behavioral Science, Families(Human), Interpersonal Relations, Social Psychology, Social Deprivation, Mental Ability, Controlled Atmospheres, Attitude Control Systems, Perception(Psychology), Conditioning(Learning), Religion, Prisoners Of War, Enemy Personnel, Research Management, Symposia, Component Reports

No PMID.MUID

Methods of Survival

Code of Conduct

The Prisoners of War Experiences and Survival.

Tolbert WA. AIR COMMAND AND STAFF COLL MAXWELL AFB AL, Department of Defense publication, Apr 1987.

Brief Description: The experiences of Vietnam-era prisoners were studied to provide valuable lessons for future POWs. Key elements for survival were found to be: religious beliefs, moral values, faith in one's fellow prisoners and country, strong bodies and active minds, a strong POW chain of command, an understanding of the Code of Conduct, and good communications.

Keywords: Prisoners of War, Survival (Personnel), International Law, Ethics, Accountability, Vietnam, Living Standards, Starvation, Chains, Religion

No PMID/MUID

U.S. Army Code of Conduct Training: Let the POWs Tell Their Stories.

Moakley GS. Army Command And General Staff Coll Fort Leavenworth Kans, Department of Defense publication, Jun 1976.

Brief Description: This paper looks at the origins and meaning of the Code of Conduct and at the Army's training procedures regarding the code. It concludes that the Army's training should be supplemented with reports of the actual experiences of former POWs and how they implemented the Code, and with practical instruction in combating the realities of the POW situation.

Keywords: Prisoners of War, Army Training, Teaching Methods, Stress(Physiology), Stress(Psychology), Tolerances(Physiology), Behavior, Morale, Resistance, Korea, Southeast Asia, Interrogation, Malnutrition, Code Of Conduct Training, Torture, U-2 Incident, Rb-47 Incident, Pueblo Incident

No PMID/MUID

Survey of Soldiers' Reactions to the Code of Conduct.

Vialek HM, Walker JN, Hood JJ. HUMAN RESOURCES RESEARCH ORGANIZATION ALEXANDRIA VA, Department of Defense publication, Mar 1962.

Brief Description: Researchers surveyed combat-ready soldiers to find out their understanding of and attitude toward the Code of Conduct.

Keywords: Behavior, Soldiers, Reaction (Psychology), Attitudes (Psychology), Prisoners of War, Military Personnel, Surveys, Questionnaires

No PMID/MUID

Applicability of the Code of Conduct in a Terrorist Hostage Situation.

Gore RL, Reaney DW. Air Command And Staff Coll Maxwell AFB AL, Department of Defense publication, Feb 1987.

Brief Description: This study was done to determine whether the U.S. Military Code of Conduct adopted in 1957 provides adequate guidance today for military personnel who are taken hostage by terrorists.

Keywords: Hostages, Terrorism, Army Personnel, Coding, Display Systems, Formulations, Military Forces(United States), Military Personnel, Models, Prisoners, Terrorists-Warfare

No PMID/MUID

Captivity and Culture: Insights from the Desert Storm Prisoner of War Experience. (See also Stress)

Anderson MA. Naval War Coll Newport RI. Department of Defense publication; Mar 1996.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Stress, (Psychology), Prisoners Of War, Brainwashing, Military Operations, Military History, International Politics, Survivability, Surveys, Military Training, Evasion, Culture, Vietnam, Prisons. Desert Storm Operation, Escape, World War 1, World War 2, War Of 1812, Korean War, Code Of Conduct, Sere(Survival Evasion Resistance Escape)

No PMID/MUID

A Personal View of Life and Leadership in a POW Environment.

Wilson GH. AIR WAR COLL MAXWELL AFB ALA, Department of Defense publication, Apr 1976.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Communist Countries, Interrogators, Prisoners of War, Code of Conduct, Exploitation, International Politics, Amnesty, Isolation, Leadership, Morale, North Vietnam, Prisoners

No PMID/MUID

If I Become a Prisoner of War

Dunn JH, Parks WH. MARINE CORPS WASHINGTON DC, Department of Defense publication, Aug 1976 Pub. in U. S. Naval Institute Proceedings, p18-27 Aug 76.

Brief Description: In dealing with the reality of being a POW, one needs more than the Code of Conduct to live by.

Keywords: Prisoners Of War, Crimes, Interpreters, Moments, Vietnam, Military Personnel, Code Of Conduct, Repatriation, Misconduct, U/A Reports

No PMID/MUID

Adaptation Strategies and Transient Niches of One Middle-class Inmate in Prison. (further information available on the web)

Wooden WS, Ballan AO. Department of Behavioral Sciences, California State Polytechnic University-Pomona, CA 91768, USA. Psychol Rep 1996 Jun; 78(3 Pt 1):870.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological; Adult; Human; Male; Prisoners/psychology; Prisons; Social Class; Social Environment; Social Values; Socialization; Theft/psychology

PMID: 8711042-- MUID: 96295164

General

POW (Prisoners of War) Doctrine for Survival with Honor.

Myers AJ. AIR WAR COLL MAXWELL AFB AL, Department of Defense publication, Jun 1975.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Prisoners of War, North Vietnam, Military forces(United States), Military personnel, Confinement(Psychology), Behavior, Social communication, Stress(Psychology), Regulations, Military law, Code of Conduct

No PMID/MUID

Resistance Posture and the Vietnam Prisoner of War.

Hunter EJ, Plag JA, Phelan JD, Mowery EC. Naval Health Research Center San Diego Calif. Jnl. of Political and Military Sociology, v4 p295-308 1976. Presented at Annual DoD Health Care Task Force Meeting Presentation (3rd), San Diego.

Brief Description: This study constructed a scale with which to measure resistance posture in Vietnam-era Navy POWs. Analyses related scores on a resistance stance scale to length of captivity, age at time of capture, and amount of time spent in solitary confinement.

Keywords: Prisoners of war, Military psychology, Cooperation, Enemy, Resistance, Naval personnel, Vietnam, Personality, Factor analysis, Time dependence, Performance(Human), Behavior, Isolation, Confinement(Psychology), Reprints, Solitary confinement, Age distribution, Military code of conduct

No PMID/MUID

Self-hypnosis Training and Captivity Survival. (further information available on the web)

Wood DP, Sexton JL . Naval Reserve Readiness Center-Denver, Aurora, CO, USA. Am J Clin Hypn 1997 Jan; 39(3):201-211.

Brief Description: This study reviews the techniques by which former Vietnam POWs coped with solitary confinement and interrogation, and reports their physical and psychological adjustment after release. It suggests ways to revise the curricula of captivity survival training programs.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Adult, Autogenic Training, Dissociative Disorders/psychology, Human, Hypnosis, Male, Military Personnel/psychology, Prisoners/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Survival/psychology, Torture/psychology, Vietnam

PMID: 9037797-- MUID: 97189610

Survival Skills for Psychic Trauma. (further information available on the web)

Karl GT. St. Joseph's Hospital, Parkersburg, West Virginia 26101. J Psychosoc Nurs Ment Health Serv 1989 Apr; 27(4):15-19.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Human, Models, Psychological, Self Concept, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/therapy, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology

PMID: 2715957-- MUID: 89236145

Use of Life Support Equipment by Aircrues Captured in Southeast Asia.

Lehman CA. Air Force Inspection And Safety Center Norton AFB CA. Department of Defense publication; Sep 1974. Presented at Annual SAFE Conference and Trade Exhibit (12th), 8-12 Sep '74, Las Vegas, NV.

Brief Description: Surveys were sent to USAF returnees from Vietnamese POW camps to determine their experiences with aircraft egress and to gather life-support and

mission data. The paper analyzes the replies and compares them with the experiences of successful evaders and non-combat survivors.

Keywords: Life Support Systems, Escape Systems, Flight Crews, Prisoners Of War, Ejection, Bailout, Survival(Personnel), Aviation Accidents, Velocity, Wounds And Injuries, Parachute Descents, Landing, Flight Helmets, Ejection Seats, Survival Equipment, Utilization, Operational Effectiveness, Questionnaires, Warfare, Southeast Asia

No PMID/MUID

Military Medicine

The History of the Organization of Medical Care in Soviet Prisoner-of-war Camps. [Article in Russian] (further information available on the web)

Nakhapetov BA. No Affiliation Available. Voen Med Zh 1995 Mar; 3:71-74.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Concentration Camps/history; Germany; History of Medicine, 20th Cent. ; Human; Military Medicine/organization & administration; Military Medicine/history; Military Personnel/history; Prisoners/history; USSR; War/history

PMID: 7483374-- MUID: 96093945

Medical Prisoners of War: The Realities of Practicing Medicine in Captivity.

Raymond MW. School Of Aerospace Medicine Brooks AFB TX. Department of Defense publication; Apr 1996.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Military Forces(United States), Medical Personnel, Prisoners Of War, Weapons, National Guard, Military Personnel, Warfare, Deployment, Gulfs, Health, Medicine, Tension, Military Medicine, History, Release, Conflict, Wounds And Injuries, Survival(Personnel), Physicians, International Law, Overseas, Military Law, Latitude, Criminal Investigations, Peacekeeping, American Civil War, World War 2, World War 1, Korean War, Vietnam War

No PMID/MUID

Medical Care for Wounded and Sick German Prisoners of War During World War II. [Article in Russian] (further information available on the web)

Marasanov RA, Mel'nichuk AN. No Affiliation Available. Voen Med Zh 1981 May; 5:19-22.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Germany; History of Medicine, 20th Cent. ; Human; Military Medicine/history; Prisoners; USSR; War/history; Wounds and Injuries/history

PMID: 7020238-- MUID: 81251086

***Medical Observations of Malingering in Iraqi Enemy Prisoners of War During Operation Desert Storm.* [\(further information available on the web\)](#)**

Cappucci DT Jr, Flemming SL. School of Veterinary Medicine, Tuskegee University, Tuskegee Institute, AL36088-1685. Mil Med 1994 Jun; 159(6):462-464.

Brief Description: The authors furnish two accounts of Iraqi enemy POWs malingering and attempting to "con" doctors with faked illnesses or complaints. To some extent, these POWs' activities wasted time and other resources that could have been directed toward patients who were genuinely in need of care.

Keywords: Adult; Case Report; Human; Iraq; Male; Malingering; Middle Age; Military Medicine; Prisoners/psychology; United States; War

PMID: 7984307-- MUID: 95075529

Physical Health

Brachial Plexus

***Traumatic Injury of the Brachial Plexus with the Causalgia Syndrome. [Article in Russian]* [\(further information available on the web\)](#)**

Shelia RN, Kuraspediani MS, Chachilia GI. No Affiliation Available. Zh Vopr Neirokhir 1977 May; 3:56-57.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adult; Brachial Plexus/injuries; Case Report; Causalgia/etiology; Female; Hematoma/complications; Human; Neuralgia/etiology; Wounds, Gunshot/complications

PMID: 883455-- MUID: 77238771

***Reversible Causalgic Syndromes Due to Traumatic Lesions of the Brachial Plexus. [Article in Italian]* [\(further information available on the web\)](#)**

Catalano F. No Affiliation Available. Rass Neuropsichiatri 1966 Jan; 20(1):26-40.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adolescence; Brachial Plexus/injuries; Human; Male; Middle Age; Neuralgia/etiology

PMID: 5988970-- MUID: 68102248

Nervous System

Persisting Tropical Diseases Amongst Former Prisoners of War of the Japanese. (See also Strongyloidiasis) (further information available on the web)

Gill GV, Bell DR. No Affiliation Available. Practitioner 1980 Aug; 224(1346):801-803.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Case Report; Deficiency Diseases/epidemiology; Dysentery, Amebic/epidemiology; England; Far East; Human; Male; Middle Age; Nervous System Diseases/epidemiology; Prisoners; Strongyloidiasis/epidemiology; Time Factors; Tropical Medicine; Ulcer/epidemiology; War

PMID: 7433398-- MUID: 81054533

Sequelae to Arbovirus Infections in Former Far East Prisoners-of-war. [LETTER] (further information available on the web)

Sutton RN, Bowen ET, Platt GS, Khan K, Gill GV. No Affiliation Available. Lancet 1984 Jun 2; 1(8388):1243-1244.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Arbovirus Infections; Far East; Human; Male; Nervous System Diseases/epidemiology; Prisoners; Time Factors; War

PMID: 6144958-- MUID: 84218258

Neurological Disease in Former Far-East Prisoners of War. [LETTER] (further information available on the web)

Sutton RN. No Affiliation Available. Lancet 1980 Aug 2; 2(8188):263-264.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adult; Chronic Disease; Human; Japan; Nervous System Diseases/etiology; Prisoners; Slow Virus Diseases; United States; War

PMID: 6105426-- MUID: 80253344

Parasites

Occurrence, in Lyon, of Different Intestinal Parasites Since the End of World War II. [Article in French]

Coudert J, Ambroise-Thomas P, Michel-Brun J—Minjat. No Affiliation Available. Bull Soc Pathol Exot Filiales 1965 Sep; 58(5):928-933.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adolescence; Adult; Child; Child, Preschool; France; Human; Intestines; Parasites

Hepatitis

***Chronic Morbidity of Former Prisoners of War and Other Australian Veterans* (further information available on the web)**

Venn AJ, Guest CS. Dept of Community Medicine, University of Melbourne. The Medical Journal of Australia Col 155 Nov. 18, 1991.

Brief Description: No description available

PMID: 1943902

The Health of Australian Veterans

Adena MA. The Medical Journal of Australia, vol 150, Apr 3, 1989, pp. 356-357.

Brief Description: No description available

Evidence of Hepatitis Virus Infection Among Australian Prisoners of War During World War II.

Smith CI, Patterson F, Goulston KJ, Chapuis PH, Chapman G, Tait AD, Dent OF. Gastroenterology Unit, Repatriation General Hospital Concord, NSW. Med J Aust 1987 Sep 7; 147(5):229-230.

Brief Description: A sample of Australian male WWII veterans was surveyed after 40 years; some had been held by the Japanese as POWs, and some had served but not been taken captive. Results suggest that hepatitis B was common in POWs but that those who survived were able to clear the virus and now appear to be free of significant liver disease.

Keywords: Asia, Southeastern, Australia, Comparative Study, Cross-Sectional Studies, Follow-Up Studies, Hepatitis B/etiology, Hepatitis B/epidemiology, Hepatitis B Antibodies/

analysis, Hepatitis B Core Antigens/immunology, Hepatitis B Surface Antigens/analysis, Human, Japan, Male, Prisoners, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, Veterans, War Substances:, Hepatitis B Surface Antigens, Hepatitis B Core Antigens, Hepatitis B Antibodies

Medical Care

Environmental Trauma in Former Prisoners of War

Skelton WP, Skelton NK. L Practitioner, May 1995.

Brief Description: No description available

***Injuries and Illnesses of Vietnam War POWs. III. Marine Corps POWs* (further information available on the web)**

Berg SW, Richlin M. Center for Prisoner of War Studies, Naval Health Research Center, San Diego, CA.

Brief Description: No description available

PMID: 408754

***Injuries and Illnesses of Vietnam War POWs. I. Navy POWs* PMID: (further information available on the web)**

Berg SW, Richlin M. Center for Prisoner of War Studies, Naval Health Research Center, San Diego, CA.

Brief Description: No description available

PMID: 407500

Therapeutic Considerations in Planning the Return of American POWs to Continental United States

Segal J. Navy Medical Neuropsychiatric Research Unit San Diego CALIF. Military Medicine, v138 n2 p73-77 Feb 73.

Brief Description: This paper, published in 1973, focuses on the physical and psychological factors to be considered in developing plans to transport recently liberated POWs to CONUS.

Keywords: prisoners, rehabilitation, limited war, southeast asia, Physical Fitness, Physiology, Psychological Tests, Therapy

Results of 25 Years of Treatment of World War II Disabled. [Article in Russian]
(further information available on the web)

Volkov MV, Dvorkin AM, Ginzburg IuB. No Affiliation Available. Ortop Travmatol Protez 1971 Aug; 32(8):1-5.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: English Abstract; Human; Organization and Administration; Orthopedic Equipment; Orthopedics; Physical Therapy; Rehabilitation; USSR

PMID: 5145290

Maximal Exercise Tolerance of Repatriated Prisoners of War

Mills RM, McKinnon BE, Baggett JC, Mitchell RE. Am J Cardiol. 1995;75:98-101.

Brief Description: No description available

Guidelines for a Prisoner of War Medical Treatment Center in a Civilian Hospital.
(further information available on the web)

Westreich M, Waron M. No Affiliation Available. Mil Med 1988 Nov; 153(11):549-554.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Hospital Units/organization & administration; Human; Israel; Prisoners; War

PMID: 3150523

Wartime Military Service and Utilization of VA Health Care Services. (further information available on the web)

Rosenheck R, Massari L. VA Northeast Program Evaluation Center, West Haven, CT 06516. Mil Med 1993 Apr; 158(4):223-228.

Brief Description: This study used data from a 1987 national survey of veterans to compare VA users and non-users. The strongest predictors of VA use were found to be high level of illness, service-connected disability status, and lack of health insurance.

Keywords: Health Services Accessibility; Hospitals, Veterans/utilization; Human; Military Personnel/statistics & numerical data; United States; United States Department of Veterans Affairs; Utilization Review; Veterans/statistics & numerical data; War

PMID: 8479627

The Detained Sick in the Prison. [Article in French] (further information available on the web)

De Villermay D. No Affiliation Available. Rev Infirm 1996 Jan; 1:45-50.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Delivery of Health Care; Ethics, Nursing; Human; Patient Advocacy; Prisoners/psychology; Self Concept

PMID: 8850696

General

Trauma-Induced Weight Loss and Cognitive Deficits Among Former Prisoners of War (further information available on the web)

Sutker PB, Galina ZH, West JA, Allain AN. VA Medical Center, New Orleans LA. Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology 1990, Vol. 58, No. 3, 323-328.

Brief Description: No description available

PMID: 2365895

The Vietnam Era Twin (VET) Registry: Method of Construction (further information available on the web)

Eisen S, True W, Goldberg J, Henderson W, Robinette CD. Research Service, St. Louis VA Medical Center, Missouri. Acta Genet Med Gemellol (Roma) 1987; 36(1):61-66.

Brief Description: To develop the male-male VET Registry, researchers used a computerized database of veterans discharged from the military after 1967, then applied an algorithm to match same last name and birth date, different first name, and similar Social Security Numbers. A review of medical records confirmed twin status.

Keywords: Adult; Human; Information Systems; Male; Middle Age; Registries; Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. ; Twins; United States; Veterans; Vietnam; War

PMID: 2116638

The Vietnam Era Twin Registry: A Resource for Medical Research. (further information available on the web)

Henderson WG, Eisen S, Goldberg J, True WR, Barnes JE, Vitek ME. Department of Veterans Affairs, Cooperative Studies Program CoordinatingCenter, Hines, IL. Public Health Rep 1990 Jul; 105(4):368-373.

Brief Description: The Vietnam Era Twin (VET) is a valuable resource for studying long-term health consequences of service in Vietnam and other areas of medical research. This article describes the registry population's characteristics and tells how to access the registry.

Keywords: Adult; Demography; Human; Male; Middle Age; Registries; Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. ; Twins/statistics & numerical data; United States; United States Department of Veterans Affairs; Veterans/statistics & numerical data

Health Status of 1458 Croatian Prisoners of War, 1991-1992. [LETTER] (further information available on the web)

Begovac J, Jeren T, Kuzman I, Jukic V, Ravlic Z, Andrasevic S. No Affiliation Available. JAMA 1993 Aug 4; 270(5):574-575.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Croatia; Health Status; Human; Human Rights; Prisoners; War

PMID: 8331749

Health Effects of Military Service: Lessons Learned from the Vietnam Experience (further information available on the web)

Jack Goldberg, Seth Eisen, William True, William Henderson, Ann Epidemiology, 1992, 2:841-853.

Brief Description: No description available

PMID: 1342337

The Health of Former Prisoners of War of the Japanese. (See also POW/MIA and Mental health) (further information available on the web)

Gill GV, Bell DR. No Affiliation Available. Practitioner 1981 Apr.; 225(1354): 531-538.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adult; Case Report; Duodenal Ulcer/epidemiology; Ear Diseases/epidemiology; Follow-Up Studies; Great Britain; Human; Japan; Liver Diseases/epidemiology; Lung Diseases/epidemiology; Male; Mental Disorders/epidemiology; Prisoners /psychology; War

PMID: 7279839

Epidemiological Surveillance in Peace Corps Volunteers: A Model for Monitoring Health in Temporary Residents of Developing Countries (further information available on the web)

Bernard KW, Grainger PL, van der Vlugt T, Moran JS, Pulley KM. International Health Program Office, Centers for Disease Control, Atlanta—Georgia 30333. Int J Epidemiol 1989 Mar; 18(1):220-226. .

Brief Description: The U.S. Peace Corps developed a surveillance system to track health trends among its volunteers. The system provides data for planning, implementing, and evaluating health programs for the volunteers, and serves as a model for surveillance of other groups of residents of developing countries.

Keywords: Adult; Aged; Aged, 80 and over; Developing Countries; Diarrhea/epidemiology; Female; Health; Health Status; Human; Malaria/epidemiology; Male; Middle Age; Population Surveillance; Travel; United States/ethnology; Voluntary Workers

PMID: 2722368

Common Chronic Disease in Vietnam-era Veterans and Nonveterans (further information available on the web)

Mainous AG 3d, Bertolino JG. Department of Family Practice, Kentucky Clinic, University of Kentucky—Lexington 40536-0284. Mil Med 1993 Aug; 158(8):557-560. .

Brief Description: This study examines the relationship between Vietnam veteran status and common chronic disease. Findings indicate that veterans of the Vietnam conflict are not at greater risk for common chronic disease or significantly more likely to have limitations in activity.

Keywords: Adult; Chronic Disease/epidemiology; Comparative Study; Health Behavior; Health Status; Human; Male; Middle Age; United States/epidemiology; Veterans; Vietnam; War

PMID: 8414081

Injuries and Illnesses of Vietnam War POWs. I. Navy POWs (further information available on the web)

Berg SW, Richlin M. No Affiliation Available. Mil Med 1977 Jul; 142(7):514-518. .

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Aerospace Medicine, Human, Male, Morbidity, Naval Medicine, Prisoners, Support, U.S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. , United States, Vietnam, War, Wounds and Injuries/epidemiology

PMID: 407500

Injuries and Illnesses of Vietnam war POWs. II. Army POWs [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Berg SW, Richlin M. No Affiliation Available. Mil Med 1977 Aug; 142(8):598-602. .

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adult, Human, Male, Middle Age, Military Medicine, Morbidity, Prisoners, United States/ethnology; Support, U.S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. , United States, Vietnam, Wounds and Injuries/epidemiology

PMID: 408740

Injuries and Illnesses of Vietnam War POWs. III. Marine Corps POWs [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Berg SW, Richlin M. No Affiliation Available. Mil Med 1977 Sep; 142(9):678-680.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adult, Human, Male, Military Medicine, Morbidity, Prisoners, Support, U.S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. , United States, Vietnam, Wounds and Injuries/epidemiology

PMID: 408754

Injuries and Illnesses of Vietnam War POWs. IV. Comparison of Captivity Effects in North and South Vietnam. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Berg SW, Richlin M. No Affiliation Available. Mil Med 1977 Oct; 142(10):757-761.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adult, Comparative Study, Human, Male, Military Medicine, Morbidity, Prisoners, Support, U.S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. , United States, Vietnam, War, Wounds and Injuries/epidemiology

PMID: 411057

Dental

American Military Dentists as Prisoners-of-war In The Pacific Theatre During World War II [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Bober-Moken IG. No Affiliation Available. Bull Hist Dent 1994 Mar; 42(1):3-12. .

Brief Description: In WWII, 53 American military dentists were held as POWs by the Japanese. This paper gives an overview of their experiences providing dental care in the austere POW camp setting.

Keywords: History of Medicine, 20th Cent., Military Dentistry/history, Philippines, Prisoners/history, United States, War/history

PMID: 8061507

***Dental Problems in Navy and Marine Corps Repatriated Prisoners of War Before and After Captivity* (further information available on the web)**

Diem CR, Richlin M. No Affiliation Available, Mil Med 1978 Aug; 143(8):532-537.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Military Dentistry, Prisoners, Statistics, United States, Vietnam, War

PMID: 99693

***An Overview of Dental Findings and Experiences in Repatriated American Prisoners of War from Southeast Asia* (further information available on the web)**

Kelly JF, Tracy NH. No Affiliation Available, Mil Med 1975 Oct; 140(10):699-704.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Dental Health Surveys, Dental Records, Human, Military Personnel, Prisoners, United States, Vietnam, War

PMID: 1468735

Aural

***Brainstem Evoked Potentials in Three Groups of Prisoners After Release from Detention Camp* (further information available on the web)**

Vrca A. Institute for Medical Research and Occupational Health, Zagreb, Croatia. Int J Legal Med 1996; 108(5):259-261..

Brief Description: This study compared brainstem-evoked potentials of male former POWs to those of a control group. Results indicated that the POWs had subclinical functional changes of the central nervous system.

Keywords: Acoustic Nerve/physiopathology; Auditory Pathways/physiopathology; Brain Stem/physiopathology; Combat Disorders/physiopathology; Croatia; Demyelinating Diseases/physiopathology; Evoked Potentials, Auditory, Brain

Stem/physiology; Follow-Up Studies; Human; Male; Prisoners; Reaction Time/physiology; Reference Values; War

PMID: 8721427

Hearing Loss in Former Prisoners of War of the Japanese [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Grossman TW, Kerr HD, Byrd JC. Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee—USA, J Am Geriatr Soc 1996 Sep; 44(9):1089-1092. .

Brief Description: This study describes the prevalence, degree, and types of hearing loss in a group of older American veterans who had been held as POWs by the Japanese in WWII.

Keywords: Aged, Case-Control Studies, Head Injuries/complications, Hearing Disorders/etiology, Hearing Disorders/diagnosis, Hearing Disorders/classification, Human, Japan, Male, Middle Age, Prevalence, Prisoners, Starvation/complications, Torture, United States/ethnology, Veterans, War

PMID: 8790238

Locomotor

Rheumatic Complaints and Diseases in Ex-prisoners of War in Croatia in 1991. A Review of Medical Prognosis for Work Capacity [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Krapac L, Zavalic M, Bogadi-Sare A, Corovic N. Odjel medicine rada Instituta za medicinska istrazivanja i medicinu rada Sveucilista u Zagrebu. Reumatizam 1992; 39(1):1-5. .

Brief Description: Former POWs who had been imprisoned in Serbia and occupied parts of Croatia were examined for rheumatic disorders. This paper discusses results of the examination, optimal medical treatment, and prognosis of work ability.

Keywords: Adolescence, Adult, Aged, Concentration Camps, Croatia/epidemiology, English Abstract, Human, Male, Middle Age, Prisoners/statistics & numerical data, Prognosis, Rheumatic Diseases/epidemiology, War, Work Capacity Evaluation

PMID: 1366137

Cancer

Mortality Among Vietnam Veterans: with Methodological Considerations. (See also Mortality) (further information available on the web)

Watanabe KK, Kang HK, Thomas TL. Department of Veterans Affairs, Environmental Epidemiology Service, Washington—DC 20006. J Occup Med 1991 Jul; 33(7):780-785.

Brief Description: The Department of Veterans Affairs conducted a study of proportionate mortality ratios (PMRs) of Vietnam veterans who died during 1982 through 1984; a previous study focused on those who died between 1965 and 1982. The studies suggested elevated PMRs for certain types of cancer among Vietnam veterans.

Keywords: Accidents, Traffic/mortality, Adult, Cause of Death, Homicide/statistics & numerical data, Human, Male, Middle Age, Neoplasms/mortality, Occupational Diseases/mortality, Poisoning/mortality, Suicide/statistics & numerical data, United States/epidemiology, Veterans/statistics & numerical data, Vietnam

PMID 3100931

Mortality Among Women Vietnam Veterans, 1973-1987. (See also Mortality) (further information available on the web)

Thomas TL, Kang HK, Dalager NA. Health Communication and Coordination Division, US Department of Energy—Washington, DC. Am J Epidemiol 1991 Nov 1; 134(9):973-980..

Brief Description: This study compared the rates of mortality from various causes in women veterans who served in Vietnam with those in women veterans who did not serve in Vietnam. Results indicated that the veterans had a higher rate of mortality from certain types of cancer.

Keywords: Adult, Cause of Death, Female, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Mortality, Retrospective Studies, Risk Factors, United States/epidemiology, Veterans/statistics & numerical data, Vietnam/ethnology, Women

PMID: 1951295

Mortality Among Army Chemical Corps Vietnam Veterans. (See also Mortality) (further information available on the web)

Dalager NA, Kang HK. Environmental Epidemiology Service, Veterans Health Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs, Washington, DC 20036-3406—USA, Am J Ind Med 1997 Jun; 31(6):719-726. .

Brief Description: Earlier research found that Army Chemical Corps personnel who served in Vietnam had a significantly greater risk of dying from digestive disease (primarily from liver cirrhosis) and motor accidents. This study expands that research and supports its findings on the death rate from cirrhosis.

Keywords: Adult, Digestive System Diseases/mortality, Human, Liver Cirrhosis/mortality, Male, Military Personnel, Neoplasms/mortality, Respiratory Tract Diseases/mortality, United States/epidemiology, Veterans, Vietnam

PMID: 9131227

Mortality Among Vietnam Veterans Compared with Non-veterans and the Australian Population (See also Mortality) (further information available on the web)

Adena MA, Cobbin DM, Fett MJ, Forcier L, Hudson HM, Long AA, Nairn JR, O'Toole BI. No Affiliation Available, Med J Aust 1985 Dec 9; 143(12-13):541-544. .

Brief Description: This retrospective cohort study was conducted to assess whether military service of Australian men in Vietnam influenced death rates (overall and from specific causes).

Keywords: Adult, Australia, Comparative Study, Human, Male, Mortality, Retrospective Studies, Veterans/classification, Vietnam, War

PMID: 3831743

Mortality Patterns Among Vietnam Veterans: A 24-year Retrospective Analysis (See also Mortality) (further information available on the web)

Watanabe KK, Kang HK. Environmental Epidemiology Service, Department of Veterans Affairs, Washington—D. C. 20036, USA. J Occup Environ Med 1996 Mar; 38(3):272-278. .

Brief Description: Causes of death of Vietnam veterans who died during 1965-1988 were compared with those of deceased non-Vietnam veterans. Results indicate that the Vietnam veterans had significantly higher rates of death from certain types of cancer and from external causes, including motor vehicle accidents and accidental poisoning.

Keywords: Adult, Comparative Study, Human, Male, Middle Age, Military Personnel, Mortality/trends, Veterans, Vietnam

PMID: 8882099

Proportionate Mortality Study of US Army and US Marine Corps Veterans of the Vietnam War (See also mortality) (further information available on the web)

Breslin P, Kang HK, Lee Y, Burt V, Shepard BM. VA Office of Environmental Epidemiology, Washington, DC 20006-3868. J Occup Med 1988 May; 30(5):412-419. .

Brief Description: This study compared patterns of mortality among a random sample of deceased Vietnam veterans with those among non-Vietnam veterans. Findings indicate that the Vietnam veterans had statistically significant excess deaths for vehicle accidents, accidental poisonings, and certain types of cancer.

Keywords: Accidents, Adult, Aged, Cause of Death, Female, Homicide, Human, Male, Middle Age, Military Personnel, Mortality, Narcotics/poisoning, Neoplasms/mortality, United States, Vietnam, WarSubstances: Narcotics

PMID: 3373346

Cancer Mortality Patterns Among Women who Served in the Military: The Vietnam Experience (further information available on the web)

Dalager NA, Kang HK, Thomas TL. Environmental Epidemiology Service, Department of Veterans Affairs, Washington—DC 20036-3406, USA. J Occup Environ Med 1995 Mar; 37(3):298-305. .

Brief Description: This study compared cancer mortality patterns of women who served in Vietnam 1965-1973 and those of women who served elsewhere during those years. Both sets of data were also compared with cancer mortality patterns of women in the U.S. population.

Keywords: Adult, Cohort Studies, Female, Human, Lung Neoplasms/mortality, Military Personnel, Neoplasms/mortality, Occupational Diseases/mortality, Pancreatic Neoplasms/mortality, Retrospective Studies, United States, Uterine Neoplasms/mortality, Vietnam, War, Women, Working

PMID: 7796197

Cancer Surveillance of Veterans in Massachusetts, USA, 1982-1988 (further information available on the web)

Clapp RW, Cupples LA, Colton T, Ozonoff DM. Boston University School of Public Health, Section on Epidemiology and Biostatistics, MA 02118. Int J Epidemiol 1991 Mar; 20(1):7-12. .

Brief Description: This study follows up on previous findings of elevated levels of mortality from soft tissue sarcoma in Massachusetts Vietnam veterans compared to those of other veterans. Sources of bias are examined, and recommendations for follow-up studies are made.

Keywords: Adult, Aged, Comparative Study, Female, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Lymphoma, Non-Hodgkin's/epidemiology, Male, Massachusetts/epidemiology, Middle Age, Neoplasms/epidemiology, Odds Ratio, Population Surveillance, Registries, Sarcoma/epidemiology, Soft Tissue Neoplasms/epidemiology, Veterans/statistics & numerical data, Vietnam

PMID: 2066246

Mortality

***Vietnam Casualties* (further information available on the web)**

Lieberman EJ. No Affiliation Available. Am J Public Health Nations Health 1970 May; 60(5):802-803. .

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adolescence; Adult; Human; Male; Mortality; United States; Vietnam; War

PMID: 4740486

***United States War Losses in Vietnam* (further information available on the web)**

Metropol Life Insur Co. No Affiliation Available. Stat Bull Metropol Life Insur Co 1972 Mar; 53:6-9. .

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Human; Military Medicine; Mortality; Statistics; United States; Vietnam; War; Wounds and Injuries/mortality

PMID: 5021411

***Vietnam Casualties* (further information available on the web)**

Nichols RS. No Affiliation Available. Am J Public Health Nations Health 1970 May; 60(5):800-802. .

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adolescence; Adult; Human; Mortality; United States; Vietnam; War

PMID: 5462551

***Splenectomy and Subsequent Mortality in Veterans of the 1939-45 War* (further information available on the web)**

Robinette CD, Fraumeni JF Jr. No Affiliation Available. Lancet 1977 Jul 16; 2(8029):127-129.

Brief Description: This long-term follow-up of WWII veterans splenectomized because of trauma confirms that asplenia causes an increase in the risk of fatal infections (specifically pneumonia and myocardial ischaemia). It did not appear to cause an increase in the risk of cancer.

Keywords: Cardiovascular Diseases/mortality, Comparative Study, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Liver Cirrhosis/mortality, Male, Military Medicine, Neoplasms/mortality,

Pneumonia/mortality, Spleen/injuries, Splenectomy, United States, United States Department of Veterans Affairs, War

PMID: 69206

***Soft tissue Sarcoma Mortality Among Vietnam Veterans in Massachusetts, 1972 to 1983* (further information available on the web)**

Kogan MD, Clapp RW. Massachusetts Department of Public Health, Boston 02111. Int J Epidemiol 1988 Mar; 17(1):39-43.

Brief Description: This study compared causes of death among Vietnam veterans and other Vietnam-era veterans and non-veterans who died in Massachusetts during 1972-1983. Results suggested a higher level of soft-tissue sarcoma in the Vietnam veterans compared to the other two groups.

Keywords: Adult, Cause of Death, Human, Male, Massachusetts, Sarcoma/mortality, Soft Tissue Neoplasms/mortality, Veterans, Vietnam

PMID: 3384547

***Military Service in Vietnam and The Risk of Death from Trauma and Selected Cancers* (further information available on the web)**

Watanabe KK, Kang HK. Department of Veterans Affairs, Environmental Epidemiology Service, Washington—DC 20036-3406, USA. Ann Epidemiol 1995 Sep; 5(5):407-412.

Brief Description: Post-service mortality of a cohort of U.S. Marine Vietnam veterans was compared with that of Marine veterans who did not serve in Vietnam. The Vietnam veterans had a significant excess of death from all causes and from all external causes.

Keywords: Adult, Age Factors, Cause of Death, Cohort Studies, Comparative Study, Confidence Intervals, Death Certificates, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Male, Neoplasms/mortality, Proportional Hazards Models, Retrospective Studies, Risk Factors, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S., United States/epidemiology, Veterans/statistics & numerical data, Vietnam, Wounds and Injuries/ mortality

PMID: 8653214

To Live or To Die. Causes of Mortality Among POWs in South Vietnam

Kushner FH. No Affiliation Available. J Fla Med Assoc 1992 May; 79(5):317-321.

Brief Description: The author attempts to evaluate reasons for deaths among POWs interred in one South Vietnamese camp. He focuses on the concept that people learn from experiences and attempt to work within—and rise above—their environment.

Keywords: Cause of Death, Female, Human, Male, Mortality, Prisoners, United States/ethnology, Vietnam, War

***Follow-up Studies of World War II and Korean Conflict Prisoners. III. Mortality to January 1, 1976* (further information available on the web)**

Keehn RJ. No Affiliation Available, Am J Epidemiol 1980 Feb; 111(2):194-211.

Brief Description: The study compares mortality through 1975 among Army veterans who were held in POW camps in WWII and Korea, and among several non-prisoner groups. POWs held in the Pacific had an increased risk of dying from tuberculosis and trauma; those held in Korea, from trauma; and all three groups, from cirrhosis of the liver.

Keywords: Adult, Cardiovascular Diseases/mortality, Europe, Far East, Female, Follow-Up Studies, Homicide, Human, Korea, Male, Middle Age, Mortality, Neoplasms/mortality, Pacific Islands, Prisoners, Suicide, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S., Tuberculosis/mortality, United States, War, Wounds and Injuries/mortality

PMID: 124131

***Decreased Mortality Among Male Prisoners* (further information available on the web)**

Clavel F, Benhamou S, Flamant R. Unite de Recherches en Epidemiologie des Cancers de l'INSERM, (U287)-Villejuif, France. Lancet 1987 Oct 31; 2(8566):1012-1014.

Brief Description: Mortality among a population of male prisoners during 1977-1983 was compared to that among the general French population. The overall mortality rate was lower among prisoners.

Keywords: Adolescence, Adult, Cause of Death, Comparative Study, France, Human, Life Style, Male, Middle Age, Mortality, Neoplasms/mortality, Prisoners/psychology, Probability, Risk Factors, Suicide/epidemiology, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, Vascular Diseases/mortality

PMID: 2889915

***Ascertainment of Mortality in the U.S. Veteran Population: World War II Veteran Twins* (further information available on the web)**

Page WF, Braun MM, Caporaso NE. Medical Follow-up Agency, Institute of Medicine, National Academy of Sciences—Washington, DC 20418, USA. Mil Med 1995 Jul; 160(7):351-355.

Brief Description: The Department of Veterans Affairs records are often used to gather mortality data. This study follows a large cohort of WWII veteran twins from 1946 to 1990; it provides evidence that the VA death reporting is nearly complete.

Keywords: Aged, Human, Male, Mortality, Support, U. S. Gov't, P. H. S. , Twins, United States, Veterans/statistics & numerical data

PMID: 7659242

Mortality Among Vietnam Veterans: with Methodological Considerations. (See also Cancer) (further information available on the web)

Watanabe KK, Kang HK, Thomas TL. Department of Veterans Affairs, Environmental Epidemiology Service, Washington—DC 20006. J Occup Med 1991 Jul; 33(7):780-785.

Brief Description: The Department of Veterans Affairs conducted a study of proportionate mortality ratios (PMRs) of Vietnam-era veterans who died during 1982-1984; a previous study focused on those who died during 1965-1982. The studies suggested elevated PMRs for certain types of cancer among Vietnam veterans.

Keywords: Accidents, Traffic/mortality, Adult, Cause of Death, Homicide/statistics & numerical data, Human, Male, Middle Age, Neoplasms/mortality, Occupational Diseases/mortality, Poisoning/mortality, Suicide/statistics & numerical data, United States/epidemiology, Veterans/statistics & numerical data, Vietnam

PMID: 1890488

Mortality Among Women Vietnam Veterans, 1973-1987. (See also Cancer) (further information available on the web)

Thomas TL, Kang HK, Dalager NA. Health Communication and Coordination Division, US Department of Energy—Washington, DC. Am J Epidemiol 1991 Nov 1; 134(9):973-980.

Brief Description: This study compared the rates of mortality from various causes in women veterans who served in Vietnam with those in women veterans who did not serve in Vietnam. Results indicated that the veterans had a higher rate of mortality from certain types of cancer.

Keywords: Adult, Cause of Death, Female, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Mortality, Retrospective Studies, Risk Factors, United States/epidemiology, Veterans/statistics & numerical data, Vietnam/ethnology, Women

PMID: 1951295

Mortality Among Army Chemical Corps Vietnam Veterans. (See also Cancer) (further information available on the web)

Dalager NA, Kang HK. Environmental Epidemiology Service, Veterans Health Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs, Washington, DC 20036-3406—USA, Am J Int Med 1997 Jun; 31(6):719-726.

Brief Description: Earlier research found that Army chemical Corps personnel who served in Vietnam had a significantly greater risk of dying from digestive disease (primarily from liver cirrhosis) and motor accidents. This study expands that research and supports its findings on the death rate from cirrhosis.

Keywords: Adult, Digestive System Diseases/mortality, Human, Liver Cirrhosis/mortality, Male, Military Personnel, Neoplasms/mortality, Respiratory Tract Diseases/mortality, United States/epidemiology, Veterans, Vietnam

PMID: 9131227

Mortality Among Australian Conscripts of the Vietnam Conflict era. I. Death from all Causes (See also Cancer) (further information available on the web)

Fett MJ, Adena MA, Cobbin DM, Dunn M. No Affiliation Available. Am J Epidemiol 1987 May; 125(5):869-877.

Brief Description: This retrospective cohort study was done to assess whether Army service in the Vietnam conflict influenced the subsequent risk of premature death for young Australian men. The findings indicated that the excess of deaths among Vietnam veterans relatives to other veterans was largely confined to The Royal Australian Engineers.

Keywords: Adult, Australia, Data Collection, Human, Male, Military Medicine, Mortality, Veterans, Vietnam

PMID: 3565361

Mortality among Australian Conscripts of the Vietnam Conflict Era. II. Causes of Death (further information available on the web)

Fett MJ, Nairn JR, Cobbin DM, Adena MA. No Affiliation Available, Am J Epidemiol 1987 May; 125(5):878-884.

Brief Description: This study compares causes of death for a cohort of Australian veterans of the Vietnam conflict with those of veterans who served only in Australia. It provides a measure of support for the Vietnam veterans' claims of an increased incidence in stress-related disorders.

Keywords: Adult, Australia, Comparative Study, Human, Male, Military Medicine, Mortality, Veterans, Vietnam

PMID: 3565362

Mortality Among U. S. Veterans of the Persian Gulf War ([further information available on the web](#))

Kang HK, Bullman TA. Department of Veterans Affairs, Environmental Epidemiology Service, Washington—DC 20036-3406, USA. N Engl J Med 1996 Nov 14; 335(20):1498-1504.

Brief Description: This retrospective cohort study of postwar mortality was conducted to see whether U.S. veterans of the Persian Gulf War have had adverse health consequences, including higher-than-normal mortality. It found that there was a significantly higher mortality rate for those veterans than for veterans who served elsewhere, but that most of the increase was due to accidents rather than disease.

Keywords: Accidents/mortality, Adult, Cohort Studies, Comparative Study, Female, Human, Male, Middle East, Mortality, Retrospective Studies, Support, U. S. Government, Non-P. H. S., United States/epidemiology, Veterans/statistics & numerical data, War

PMID: 8890102

Mortality Among United States Servicemen Outside Vietnam ([further information available on the web](#))

Metropol Life Insur Co. No Affiliation Available. Stat Bull Metropol Life Insur Co 1973 May; 54:6-9.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Accidents, Adolescence, Adult, Human, Insurance, Health, Male, Middle Age, Military Personnel, Mortality, United States

PMID: 4711388

Mortality among Vietnam Veterans Compared with Non-veterans and the Australian Population (See also Cancer) ([further information available on the web](#))

Adena MA, Cobbin DM, Fett MJ, Forcier L, Hudson HM, Long AA, Nairn JR, O'Toole BI. No Affiliation Available, Med J Aust 1985 Dec 9; 143(12-13):541-544.

Brief Description: This retrospective cohort study was conducted to assess whether military service of Australian men in Vietnam influenced death rates (overall and from specific causes).

Keywords: Adult, Australia, Comparative Study, Human, Male, Mortality, Retrospective Studies, Veterans/classification, Vietnam, War

PMID: 3831743

Mortality and Morbidity Selection Effects Among US Veterans ([further information available on the web](#))

Page WF. Medical Follow-up Agency, National Academy of Sciences-National Research Council, Washington, DC 20418. J Occup Med 1987 Dec; 29(12):975-978.

Brief Description: Previous studies have documented a substantially lower mortality rate for U.S. male veterans, but none have examined morbidity selection. This paper examines data from two general health surveys for evidence of a morbidity selection effect and, overall, finds no substantial differences in health characteristics between veterans and non-veterans.

Keywords: Adult, Aged, Health Surveys, Hospitalization, Human, Male, Middle Age, Morbidity, Mortality, United States, Veterans

PMID: 3430205

Mortality of Australian veterans of the Vietnam Conflict and the Period and Location of their Vietnam Service ([further information available on the web](#))

Forcier L, Hudson HM, Cobbin DM, Jones MP, Adena MA, Fett MJ. No Affiliation Available, Mil Med 1987 Mar; 152(3):117-124.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Australia, Human, Male, Mortality, Veterans, Vietnam, War

PMID: 3104823

Mortality of Former Prisoners of War and Other Australian Veterans ([further information available on the web](#))

Guest CS, Venn AJ. Department of Community Medicine, University of Melbourne, Carlton, Vic. Med J Aust 1992 Jul 20; 157(2):132-135.

Brief Description: This study focused on evidence about postwar mortality in Australians who were POWs in WWII or Vietnam. It concluded that elevated early postwar mortality of young former POWs implicates diseases (including psychiatric disorders) with short latent periods; it suggests continued surveillance.

Keywords: Adult, Aged, Asia, Southeastern, Australia/epidemiology, Bias (Epidemiology), Cause of Death, Comparative Study, Death Certificates, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Japan, Middle Age, Mortality, Prisoners/statistics & numerical data, Selection Bias, Veterans/statistics & numerical data, Vietnam, War

PMID: 1630377

Mortality Patterns Among Vietnam Veterans: a 24-year Retrospective Analysis. (See also Cancer) (further information available on the web)

Watanabe KK, Kang HK. Environmental Epidemiology Service, Department of Veterans Affairs, Washington—D. C. 20036, USA. J Occup Environ Med 1996 Mar; 38(3):272-278.

Brief Description: Causes of death of Vietnam veterans who died during 1965-1988 were compared with those of deceased non-Vietnam veterans. Results indicate that the Vietnam veterans had significantly higher rates of death from certain types of cancer and from external causes, including motor vehicle accidents and accidental poisoning.

Keywords: Adult, Comparative Study, Human, Male, Middle Age, Military Personnel, Mortality/trends, Veterans, Vietnam

PMID: 8882099

Mortality Patterns of New York State Vietnam Veterans (further information available on the web)

Lawrence CE, Reilly AA, Quickenton P, Greenwald P, Page WF, Kuntz AJ. No Affiliation Available. Am J Public Health 1985 Mar; 75(3):277-279.

Brief Description: This study compares the mortality odds ratios (MORs) of deceased veterans with Vietnam service who died in New York State with those of veterans of the same era with no Vietnam service. The most elevated MORs were accidents (including non-motor-vehicle accidents), burns, and homicide.

Keywords: Accidents, Adult, Comparative Study, Death Certificates, Environmental Pollution, Epidemiologic Methods, Human, Male, Mortality, New York, Veterans, Vietnam

PMID: 3976954

Post Service Mortality Among Vietnam Veterans (further information available on the web)

No Available Author. No Affiliation Available. MMWR Morb Mortal Wkly Rep 1987 Feb 13; 36(5):61-64.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Epidemiologic Methods, Human, Male, Mortality, United States, Veterans, Vietnam, War

PMID: 3100931

Postservice Mortality Among Vietnam Veterans (further information available on the web)

Centers for Disease Control—The Vietnam Experience Study. No Affiliation Available, JAMA 1987 Feb 13; 257(6):790-795.

Brief Description: This study compared the post-service mortality of U.S. Army Vietnam veterans with that of Vietnam-era veterans who served in Korea, Germany, or the United States. Total mortality in Vietnam veterans was higher than for other veterans, mainly in the first five years after discharge from active duty.

Keywords: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (U.S.), Data Collection/methods, Death Certificates, Human, Male, Mortality, United States, Veterans, Vietnam, War

Postwar Mortality Among Australian World War II Prisoners of the Japanese

Dent OF, Richardson B, Wilson S, Goulston KJ, Murdoch CW. Australian National University, Canberra City. Med J Aust 1989 Apr 3; 150(7):378-382.

Brief Description: This study examines the impact of detention as a POW on postwar survival and disease-specific mortality in Australian veterans of WWII. The former POWs showed a higher overall mortality rate from 5 to 14 years after the war.

Keywords: Adult, Australia, Cause of Death, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Japan, Mortality, Prisoners, Sampling Studies, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, Veterans, War

Proportionate Mortality Among US Army Vietnam Veterans Who Served in Military Region I (further information available on the web)

Bullman TA, Kang HK, Watanabe KK. Office of Environmental Epidemiology, Department of Veterans Affairs—Washington, DC 20006. Am J Epidemiol 1990 Oct; 132(4):670-674.

Brief Description: This study was conducted to determine whether the post-service mortality experience of Army Vietnam veterans serving in Military Region I differed from that of Army non-Vietnam veterans. Statistically significant excesses of death were observed for motor vehicle accidents and accidental poisonings.

Keywords: Cause of Death, Comparative Study, Human, Male, Military Personnel, Mortality, United States/ethnology, Veterans, Vietnam

PMID: 2403107

Proportionate Mortality Study of US Army and US Marine Corps Veterans of the Vietnam War. (See also Cancer) (further information available on the web)

Breslin P, Kang HK, Lee Y, Burt V, Shepard BM. VA Office of Environmental Epidemiology, Washington, DC 20006-3868. J Occup Med 1988 May; 30(5):412-419.

Brief Description: This study compared patterns of mortality among a random sample of deceased Vietnam veterans with those among non-Vietnam veterans. Findings indicate that the Vietnam veterans had significant excess deaths for vehicle accidents, accidental poisonings, and certain types of cancer.

Keywords: Accidents, Adult, Aged, Cause of Death, Female, Homicide, Human, Male, Middle Age, Military Personnel, Mortality, Narcotics/poisoning, Neoplasms/mortality, United States, Vietnam, War Substances:, Narcotics

PMID: 3373346

Measures of Mortality Across Groups. [LETTER] (further information available on the web)

McWhorter JH. No Affiliation Available. W V Med J 1988 Mar; 84(3):77.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Comparative Study, Human, Mortality, Racial Stocks, United States, West Virginia

PMID: 8705651

Lymphoma

Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma Among Vietnam Veterans (further information available on the web)

Dalager NA, Kang HK, Burt VL, Weatherbee L. Department of Veterans Affairs, Centers for Disease Control, National Centerfor Health Statistics, Hyattsville, Md. J Occup Med 1991 Jul; 33(7):774-779.

Brief Description: This hospital-based case-control study examined the association between military service in Vietnam and non-Hodgkin's lymphoma. Findings indicated that service in Vietnam did not increase the risk of non-Hodgkin's lymphoma.

Keywords: Adult; Cross-Sectional Studies; Defoliants, Chemical; Herbicides; Human; Incidence; Lymphoma, Non-Hodgkin's/epidemiology; Lymphoma, Non-Hodgkin's/chemically induced; Male; Occupational Diseases/epidemiology; Occupational Diseases/chemically induced; Risk Factors; Tetrachlorodibenzodioxin/poisoning; United States/epidemiology; Veterans/statistics and numerical data; Vietnam; 2-4-Dichlorophenoxyacetic Acid/poisoning; 2-4-5-Trichlorophenoxyacetic Acid/ poisoning; Substances; 2-4-Dichlorophenoxyacetic Acid; 2-4-5-Trichlorophenoxy-acetic Acid; Agent Orange; Tetrachlorodibenzodioxin; Herbicides; Defoliants, Chemical

PMID: 1890487

Strongyloidiasis

Persisting Tropical Diseases Amongst Former Prisoners of War of the Japanese. (See also Nervous System) [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Gill GV, Bell DR. No Affiliation Available. Practitioner 1980 Aug; 224(1346):801-803.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Case Report; Deficiency Diseases/epidemiology; Dysentery, Amebic/epidemiology; England; Far East; Human; Male; Middle Age; Nervous System Diseases/epidemiology; Prisoners; Strongyloidiasis/epidemiology; Time Factors; Tropical Medicine; Ulcer/epidemiology; War

PMID: 7433398

Patterns of Disease Among WWII Prisoners of the Japanese

Charles Roland, Harry Shannon, Journal of the History of Medicine, Vol. 46, Jan. 1991

Brief Description: No description available

Strongyloidiasis in Allied Ex-prisoners of War in South-east Asia [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Grove DI. No Affiliation Available. Br Med J 1980 Mar 1; 280(6214):598-601.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Aged, Asia, Southeastern, Australia, Body Weight, Europe, Feces/parasitology, Human, Male, Middle Age, Prisoners, Strongyloides/isolation & purification, Strongyloidiasis/epidemiology, War

PMID: 7370602

Strongyloidiasis in Ex-Far East prisoners of War [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Gill GV, Bell DR, Reid HA. No Affiliation Available. Br Med J 1977 Apr 16; 1(6067):1007.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Aged, Human, Male, Middle Age, Prisoners, Strongyloides, Strongyloidiasis/drug therapy, Thiabendazole/therapeutic use, War

PMID: 851822

Strongyloidiasis in Ex-Far East prisoners of War [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Hill JA. Princess of Wales Royal Air Force Hospital, Ely, Cambridgeshire. Br Med J (Clin Res Ed) 1988 Mar 12; 296(6624):753.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Aged, Aged, 80 and over, Far East, Great Britain, Human, Male, Middle Age, Prisoners, Strongyloidiasis/drug therapy, Thiabendazole/therapeutic use, Veterans, WarSubstances:, Thiabendazole

PMID: 3126961

Strongyloidiasis in US Veterans of the Vietnam and Other Wars. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Genta RM, Weesner R, Douce RW, Huitger-O'Connor T, Walzer PD. No Affiliation Available. JAMA 1987 Jul 3; 258(1):49-52.

Brief Description: This study evaluated the prevalence of strongyloidiasis among American war veterans by using an enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay. The usefulness of the assay as a screening tool for at-risk groups is suggested by the findings.

Keywords: Adult, Aged, Aged, 80 and over, Enzyme-Linked Immunosorbent Assay, Eosinophils, Epidemiologic Methods, Human, IgG/analysis, Leukocyte Count, Male, Middle Age, Strongyloidiasis/parasitology, Strongyloidiasis/epidemiology, Strongyloidiasis/diagnosis, Support, U. S. Gov't, Non-P. H. S. , Veterans, Vietnam, War

PMID: 3586290

Diagnosis and Evaluation of Treatment of Chronic Strongyloidiasis in Ex-Prisoners of War

The Journal of Infectious Diseases, March 1988 Vol. 157, No. 3.

Brief Description: No description available

Fatal Disseminated Strongyloidiasis in a Vietnam War Veteran. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Hakim SZ, Genta RM. No Affiliation Available. Arch Pathol Lab Med 1986 Sep; 110(9):809-812.

Brief Description: A young immuno-suppressed Vietnam War veteran died from disseminated strongyloides stercoralis infection. This study reviews the risk factors for other Vietnam veterans who were exposed to this parasite and discusses available diagnostic methods.

Keywords: Adult, Case Report, Gastrointestinal System/pathology, Human, IgG/analysis, Lung/pathology, Male, Serodiagnosis, Strongyloides/immunology, Strongyloidiasis/pathology, Strongyloidiasis/etiology, Strongyloidiasis/diagnosis, Support, U. S. Government, Non-P. H. S., Veterans, Vietnam, Politics, and Motives

PMID: 3755889

Policy, Politics, and Motives

General

Koje-Do in Complication: An Analysis of the Social and Political Organization of Korean Prisoners of War in UNC POW Camps, 1950 - 1951

Kim SH. George Washington Univ Alexandria VA Human Resources Research Office. Department of Defense publication; May 1955; Revision of report dated Aug 54.

Brief Description: A war crimes investigator in the UN Command describes events leading to the Communist domination of many compounds containing Korean POWs. He discusses the deficiencies leading to the Command" having to negotiate with Communist prisoners as equals.

Keywords: Leadership, Prisoners of war, Group dynamics, Prisoners of war, (Communists, Leadership, North Korea, History, United Nations, Negotiations, Political science, Military psychology, Management, Policies

The Prisoner of War (further information available on the web)

Robert Ursano, James Rundell, Military Medicine, 155, 4:176, 1990

Brief Description: This paper discusses the POW experience in terms of the importance of the environmental and sociocultural factors of the captivity setting, the most successful coping mechanisms, and the common psychiatric disorders following release from captivity. Severity of captivity and quality of social supports play a major role in recovery or illness after repatriation.

PMID: 2110341

Amnesty International and the Forgotten Prisoner ([further information available on the web](#))

Tedeschi LG. No Affiliation Available, Am J Forensic Med Pathol 1980 Sep; 1(3):277-279.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Africa, Europe, Forensic Medicine/standards, Human, International Cooperation, Organizations, Politics, Prisoners/psychology, Refugees, Torture, United Nations, United States

PMID: 7234816

Americans Missing in Southeast Asia: Perceptions, Politics, and Realities

Jordan WH. Army War Coll Carlisle Barracks Pa. Department of Defense publication, May 1990.

Brief Description: The rescue of American POWs/MIAs in Vietnam, and the recovery and identity of those who died, was a by-product of the ad hoc formalization of the intelligence and operational process. This paper examines that process historically, addressing U.S. policy objectives, and examines the probability of greater success relevant to POW/MIA issues compared to that of other foreign policy initiatives.

Keywords: Americans missing in Southeast Asia, Prisoners of war/missing in action, Vietnam, Warfare, Military operations, Prisoners of War, Southeast Asia, Vietnam, Warfare, Battlefields, Combat Forces

Geneva Convention

The Geneva Convention, Background, General Principles, and Application

No author available. AIR UNIV MAXWELL AFB AL ARCTIC DESERT TROPIC INFORMATION CENTER, Department of Defense publication, Mar 1960.

Brief Description: This study was done to familiarize Air Force personnel with the background, general principles, and application of the Geneva Convention.

Keywords: Cermets, Heat Resistant Materials, Test Methods, Test Equipment, International Law, Geneva Convention, Prisoners Of War, U/A Reports

Effectiveness of the Geneva Convention Relative to American POW's (Prisoner of War)

McLendon LF. AIR COMMAND AND STAFF COLL MAXWELL AFB AL, Department of Defense publication, May 1973.

Brief Description: This study examines the effectiveness of the Geneva Convention relative to U.S. POWs, particularly in North Korea and North Vietnam. It concludes that the Geneva Convention is only as effective as the captors allow.

Keywords: North Korea, North Vietnam, Prisoners of War, United States, U/A Reports

POW/MIA

Chain of Command

Roles—Not Rules—For the POW

Schein EH. BUREAU OF SOCIAL SCIENCE RESEARCH INC WASHINGTON DC.
Department of Defense publication, Sep 1963.

Brief Description: This paper, prepared for a 1963 conference on training programs, emphasizes positive standards of conduct required of POWs rather than passive resistance or negative obedience of rules.

Keywords: Prisoners, Behavior, Brainwashing, Military Training, Military Personnel, Survival(Personnel), Stress(Psychology), Social Communication, Communists, Propaganda, Psychological Warfare, Attitudes(Psychology), Prisoners Of War

POW Leadership in North Vietnam

Kramer GD. AIR COMMAND AND STAFF COLL MAXWELL AFB AL. Department of Defense publication, May 1978.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Prisoners of War, Leadership, Officer Personnel, Performance, (Human), Operational Effectiveness, Personnel Management, Guidance, Manpower Utilization, Management Planning And Control, Human Resources, Resource Management, Group Dynamics, Interpersonal Relations, North Vietnam, Social Organization

Problems of Command in a Prisoner of War Situation

Stavast JE. AIR WAR COLL MAXWELL AFB AL. Department of Defense publication, Feb 1974.

Brief Description: The author gives an account of his experiences as a POW in Vietnam to illustrate the daily needs and problems of POWs and the special problems of the Senior Ranking Officer. He found that the old, generally accepted rules of leadership are valid in the POW camp organization.

Keywords: Democracy; Military Facilities; North Vietnam; Prisoners Of War; Vietnam; U/A Reports

General

Concerns Grow About Allied Prisoners of War (further information available on the web)

Skolnick A. No Affiliation Available. JAMA 1991 Feb 13; 265(6):701.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Child; Human; Iraq; Kuwait; Prisoners; United States; War

PMID: 1990182

The Health of Former Prisoners of War of the Japanese. (See also Physical health and Mental health) (further information available on the web)

Gill GV, Bell DR. No Affiliation Available. Practitioner 1981 Apr; 225(1354):531-538.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adult; Case Report; Duodenal Ulcer/epidemiology; Ear Diseases/epidemiology; Follow-Up Studies; Great Britain; Human; Japan; Liver Diseases/epidemiology; Lung Diseases/epidemiology; Male; Mental Disorders/epidemiology; Prisoners /psychology; War

PMID: 7279839

War Ended Decades Ago but POWs' Problems Continue (further information available on the web)

Sullivan P. No Affiliation Available. Can Med Assoc J 1987 Nov 1; 137(9):837.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Canada; Concentration Camps/history; History of Medicine, 20th Cent.; Human; Japan; Prisoners/psychology; Prisons/history; War/history

PMID: 3327581

Proceedings of the Joint Medical Meeting Concerning POW/ MIA Matters (5th)

Wetzler HP. School Of Aerospace Medicine Brooks AFB TX. Department of Defense publication; Aug 1979.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Symposia, Prisoners of War, Military medicine, Vietnam, Military dependents, Psychiatry, Psychological tests, Health, Army personnel, Air Force personnel, Marine Corps personnel, Naval personnel

Psychiatric Effects of Prolonged Asian Captivity: A Two Year Follow-Up

Hall RC, Malone PT, American Journal of Psychiatry, July 1976

Brief Description: No description available

***Life in a Japanese Prisoner-of-war Camp* (further information available on the web)**

Duncan IL. No Affiliation Available. Med J Aust 1982 Apr 3; 1(7):302-306.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Comparative Study; Deficiency Diseases/mortality; Deficiency Diseases/etiology; Diet/adverse effects; Drugs/supply & distribution; Equipment and Supplies; Fever/epidemiology; Gastrointestinal Diseases/mortality; Gastrointestinal Diseases/etiology; History of Medicine, 20th Cent.; Human; Japan; Lung Diseases/mortality; Lung Diseases/epidemiology; Malaria/epidemiology; Male; Military Medicine/history; Prisoners/psychology; Prisons/history; Rheumatic Fever/epidemiology; War/history Substances;; Drugs

PMID: 7045610

Forty Year Follow up of United States Prisoners of War

John C. Kluznik, Nancy Speed, Charles VanValkenburg, Richard Magraw, American Journal of Psychiatry, November 1986

Brief Description: No description available

Vietnam POW Camp Histories and Studies. Volume 2

Meyers AJ, Abbott JSJr, Ballard AT, Baugh WJ, Bernasconi LH. Air War Coll Maxwell AFB AL. Department of Defense publication; Mar 1984.

Brief Description: This report presents chronological camp histories of the 14 POW camps in North Vietnam that held U.S. aircrews. It describes the physical and psychological environments, the POWs' methods of covert communication, and their ways of countering attempts to extract propaganda.

Keywords: Prisoners of War, North Vietnam, Military Forces (UNITED STATES), Air Force Personnel, Confinement(PSYCHOLOGY), Behavior, Social Communication, Stress (PSYCHOLOGY), Prisons, Living Standards, Endurance(PHYSIOLOGY), Selection, Questionnaires, Mistreatment

Preliminary Report on Chinese Communist Indoctrination of Military Prisoners of War.

Lewis JW. Bureau Of Social Science Research Inc Washington DC. Department of Defense publication; Sep 1963.

Brief Description: This report, prepared for a conference on training programs on required POW behavior, was based on limited data from the Korean War and the 1962 Chinese invasion of the Indian frontier.

Keywords: Prisoners, Brainwashing, China, Communists, Behavior, Military Personnel, Psychological Warfare, Military Training, Attitudes(Psychology), Limited War, Stress(Psychology), India, Armed Forces(Foreign), Prisoners Of War

Long Term Psychological and Physical Effects of the POW Experience: A Review of the Literature

Segal J. Naval Health Research Center San Diego Calif. Department of Defense publication; Jan 1974.

Brief Description: This paper reviews existing literature to delineate findings relevant in dealing with long-term effects to be expected among former Vietnam POWs. Findings indicate that the stress of incarceration is related to an increased vulnerability to physical and psychological problems over time.

Keywords: Prisoners of war, Stress, (Physiology), Psychology, Confinement (Psychology), Survival(Personnel), Starvation, Mental disorders, Adjustment (Psychology), Brainwashing, Literature surveys

Prisoners of War: Long-term Effects. [LETTER] Details

Valent P. No Affiliation Available. Med J Aust 1981 Aug 22; 2(4):204.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Comparative Study, Concentration Camps, Europe, Follow-Up Studies, Germany, Human, Japan, Korea, Military Medicine, Prisoners/psychology, Prisons, Stress, Psychological/epidemiology

Prisoners of War: Long-term Effects.

Hinder DC. No Affiliation Available. Med J Aust 1981 May 30; 1(11):565-566.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Deficiency Diseases/etiology, Human, Male, Military Medicine, Prisoners, Time Factors, Veterans

Prisoner of War.

Tankin LH. No Affiliation Available. Md Med J 1995 Nov; 44(11):958-962.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Autobiography, Europe, History of Medicine, 20th Cent. , Human, Military Medicine/history, Prisons/history, United States, War/history

Accounting of POWs/MIAs

Status of American POW/MIAs (Prisoner of War/Missing in Action) in Southeast Asia: Is a Full Accounting Possible?

Goodlett JR. Air Command And Staff Coll Maxwell Afb AL, Department of Defense publication, Mar 1984.

Brief Description: This paper reviews efforts to gain an accounting of U.S. POWs/MIAs in Southeast Asia, reviews evidence that some might still be held captive, discusses problems hindering the accounting process, and discusses remaining options and the potential for gaining a full accounting of the POWs/MIAs.

Keywords: Prisoners of War, Southeast Asia, International relations, International politics, Military personnel, Accounting, Accountability, United States Government, Vietnam, Foreign policy, Missing in action, Vietnam War, POW(Prisoner of War), MIA(Missing in Action)

I Will Never Forget: An Analysis of the POW/MIA (Prisoners of War/Missing in Action) Episode in the War in Southeast Asia.

Johnson HE. AIR WAR COLL MAXWELL AFB AL, Department of Defense publication, May 1982.

Brief Description: This paper is a synoptic, personal analysis of the POW/MIA situation in Southeast Asia, discussing geographic loss points, treatment of prisoners, indigenous population attitudes, and political environment. It discusses probable reasons that so many POWs/MIAs have not been accounted for and U.S. attempts to gain an accounting; it also addresses claims of sightings of prisoners.

Keywords: PRISONERS OF WAR, VIETNAM, CAMBODIA, LAOS, WARFARE, HISTORY

Torture

Medical Effects/Recovery/Treatment

Neurogenic pain following Palestinian hanging. [Article in Danish] (further information available on the web)

Thomsen AB, Eriksen J, Smidt-Nielsen K. H:S Rigshospitalet, Tvaerfagligt Smertecenter. Ugeskr Laeger 1997 Jun 23; 159(26):4129-4130.

Brief Description: After this type of torture, severe lasting nerve, ligament, or tendon damage is seen. The paper also presents two cases of brachial plexus injury.

Keywords: Adult, Brachial Plexus/injuries, Case Report, Denmark, English Abstract, Human, Male, Middle Age, Neuralgia/therapy, Neuralgia/etiology, Neuralgia/diagnosis, Posture, Refugees, Torture

PMID: 9229872

Clinical Psychiatric Illness in Prisoners of War of the Japanese: Forty Years After Release

Christopher Tennant, Kerry Goulston, Owen Dent, Psychological Medicine, 1986, 16, 833-839.

Brief Description: No description available

The Psychological Effects of Being a Prisoner of War: Forty Years After Release

Christopher Tennant, Kerry Goulston, Owen Dent, American Journal of Psychiatry, 143:618-621, 1986.

Brief Description: No description available

The Physical and Psychological Sequelae of Torture (further information available on the web)

Goldfeld AE, Mollica RF, Pesavento BH, Farone SV, JAMA, May 13, 1988.

Brief Description: No description available

PMID: 3282086

The Treatment of Torture and War Victims. [Article in German] (further information available on the web)

Frey C, Valach L. Therapiezentrum SRK fur Folteropfer, Bern. Schweiz Rundsch Med Prax 1997 May 21; 86(21):899-905.

Brief Description: The Swiss Red Cross Therapy Centre for victims of torture offers a wide range of therapies for the victims and related training for health personnel. It aims to help establish more such centers.

Keywords: Adolescence, Adult, Child, Crisis Intervention, English Abstract, Human, Mental Health Services, Red Cross, Refugees, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/therapy, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Switzerland, Torture, War

PMID: 9244976

Identification of Victims of Violence and Torture: The Practitioner's Role. [Article in French] [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Subilia L, Bertrand D, Loutan L. Departement de medecine communautaire, Belle-Idee, Hopitaux universitaires de Geneve. Schweiz Med Wochenschr 1996 Jul 27; 126(30):1291-1296.

Brief Description: This article was written to help doctors recognize and explore the patient's traumatic experiences as a victim of violence and torture. It is based on the experience of Swiss doctors at the Travel and Migration Medicine Unit in Geneva.

Keywords: Adolescence, Adult, English Abstract, Female, Human, Male, Medical Records, Middle Age, Physician's Role, Refugees, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Torture, Violence, Wounds and Injuries/diagnosis

PMID: 8765769

General Health Assessment in Refugees Claiming to Have Been Tortured [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Petersen HD, Christensen ME, Kastrup M, Thomsen JL, Foldspang A. Amnesty International Medical Group, Copenhagen, Denmark. Forensic Sci Int 1994 Jun 28; 67(1):9-16.

Brief Description: This paper reviews the assessment of refugees, mostly from the Middle East and Africa, in terms of physical and mental health. Two medical doctors performed the assessment, using double-blind techniques to determine agreement on symptom intensity, levels, and patterns, and reliability with respect to clinical observation.

Keywords: Adult, Affective Symptoms/etiology, Africa/ethnology, Denmark, Double-Blind Method, Factor Analysis, Statistical, Female, Health Status, Human, Interview, Psychological, Male, Medical History Taking, Mental Status Schedule, Middle Age, Middle East/ethnology, Observer Variation, Pain/etiology, Refugees, Reproducibility of Results, Torture/psychology

PMID: 8082864

Counselling Survivors of Torture and Refugee Trauma (further information available on the web)

Cunningham M, Silove D, Storm V. Service for the Treatment and Rehabilitation of Torture and Trauma Survivors—Fairfield, New South Wales. Aust Fam Physician 1990 Apr; 19(4):501-504.

Brief Description: This article gives an overview of physical and emotional disabilities arising from torture and organized violence, discusses the difficulties of identifying and assessing victims, and offers an approach for counseling the victims and their families. Information is based on work with refugees arriving in Australia.

Keywords: Counseling, Family Practice/methods, Human, Refugees/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/therapy, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Torture

PMID: 2363655

Treatment of Torture Survivors and Their Families: The Nurse's Function. (See also Family Health) (further information available on the web)

Jacobsen L, Vesti P. Rehabilitation and Research Centre for Torture Victims, Copenhagen—Denmark. Int Nurs Rev 1989 May; 36(3):75-80.

Brief Description: This article focuses on the nurse's role in treating torture survivors and their families.

Keywords: Denmark, Family, Human, Human Rights, Nursing Care, Rehabilitation Centers, Self Concept, Stress, Psychological/rehabilitation, Stress, Psychological/nursing, Stress, Psychological/etiology, Torture

PMID: 2737839

Torture and Its Treatment (further information available on the web)

Roth EF Jr, Lunde I, Boysen G, Genefke IK. Division of Hematology, Montefiore Medical Center, Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Bronx, NY 10467. Am J Public Health 1987 Nov; 77(11):1404-1406.

Brief Description: This article describes various types of torture and the diagnosis and treatment of victims, based on experiences at Rigs hospitalet in Copenhagen.

Keywords: Denmark, Human, Psychotherapy, Refugees/psychology, Torture

PMID: 3661792

Evidence of Physical Torture in a Series Of Children ([further information available on the web](#))

Petersen HD, Wandall JH. Department of Medicine B, Frederiksberg Hospital, Copenhagen, Denmark. *Forensic Sci Int* 1995 Aug 28; 75(1):45-55.

Brief Description: The authors appraised the validity of statements from children allegedly exposed to torture and ill treatment in Kashmiri camps. Based on clinical findings, they concluded that the torture had occurred.

Keywords: Adolescence, Child, Child, Preschool, Female, Forensic Medicine, Human, Male, Torture, Wounds and Injuries/pathology

PMID: 7590548

Ethical and Psychiatric Aspects of Torture: A Canadian Study ([further information available on the web](#))

Allodi F, Cowgill G. No Affiliation Available, *Can J Psychiatry* 1982 Mar; 27(2):98-102.

Brief Description: This paper reports the psychiatric findings in a group of Latin-American refugees arriving in Canada 1977-1979 after imprisonment and torture in their own countries. It discusses their subsequent psychiatric symptoms and physical evidence of trauma, and lists codes of medical ethics to guide and protect doctors who treat such patients.

Keywords: Adjustment Disorders/psychology, Adolescence, Adult, Affective Disorders/psychology, Aggression, Child, Ethics, Medical, Female, Human, Latin America/ethnology, Male, Middle Age, Ontario, Personality Disorders/psychology, Politics, Psychophysiological Disorders/psychology, Refugees/psychology, Torture

PMID: 7066853

A Guide to Writing Medical Reports on Survivors of Torture ([further information available on the web](#))

Forrest D, Knight B, Hinshelwood G, Anand J, Tonge V. Medical Foundation for the Care of Victims of Torture, London, UK. *Forensic Sci Int* 1995 Nov 30; 76(1):69-75

Brief Description: This report discusses the role of the medical expert in investigating and reporting on human rights abuse. It offers a method of history-taking and physical examination, based on the experiences of volunteer doctors.

Keywords: Guidelines, Human, Medical History Taking/methods, Physical Examination/psychology, Physical Examination/methods, Refugees/psychology, Torture

PMID: 8591838

The Captivity Experience of American Prisoners of War in Southeast Asia

Charles W. Hutchins, Center for POW Studies, San Diego, CA, Publication No. 77-2

Brief Description: No description available

***Working with Survivors of Torture and Trauma: The Victorian Foundation for Survivors of Torture in Perspective.* (further information available on the web)**

McGorry P. Department of Psychiatry, University of Melbourne, Victoria. Aust N Z J Psychiatry 1995 Sep; 29(3):463-472.

Brief Description: This article describes the early experience of the Victorian Foundation for Survivors of Torture. It highlights unresolved issues, especially the difficulty of providing skilled psychotherapy to large numbers of refugees.

Keywords: Acculturation, Adolescence, Adult, Aged, Community Mental Health Services/trends, Female, Forecasting, Foundations, Health Services Needs and Demand/trends, Human, Male, Middle Age, Psychotherapy/trends, Refugees/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/therapy, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Survival/psychology, Torture/psychology, Victoria

PMID: 8573050

***Victims of Torture.* (further information available on the web)**

Jacobsen L. No Affiliation Available. J Prof Nurs 1988 Jan; 4(1):6.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Denmark, Human, Nursing Care, Psychology, Rehabilitation Centers, Torture

PMID: 3346473

***Adaptation After Torture: Some Thoughts on the Long-term Effects of Surviving a Repressive Regime* (further information available on the web)**

Gorst-Unsworth C. Medical Foundation for the Care of Victims of Torture, London. Med War 1992 Jul; 8(3):164-168.

Brief Description: This article discusses the long-term problems of refugee survivors in terms of psychological well-being and social adaptation. It discusses limitations of classic diagnostic approaches and suggests including measures of social function in the concept of PTSD.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Adult, Case Report, Great Britain, Human, Male, Refugees/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Torture/psychology

PMID: 1406464

Psychological Disturbances Among 47 Croatian Prisoners of War Tortured in Detention Camps [LETTER] (further information available on the web)

Kozaric-Kovacic D, Folnegovic-Smalc V, Marusic A. No Affiliation Available. JAMA 1993 Aug 4; 270(5):575.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Concentration Camps, Croatia, Human, Mental Disorders/etiology, Prisoners/psychology, Torture/psychology, War

PMID: 8331750

Group Treatment of Exiled Survivors of Torture (further information available on the web)

Fischman Y, Ross J. Mental Health Center, Peninsula Hospital, Burlingame, Calif. Am J Orthopsychiatry 1990 Jan; 60(1):135-142.

Brief Description: This article presents a model for time-limited group treatment of exiled survivors of torture, and illustrates the model with descriptions of a group of Central and South American refugees. It proposes therapeutic techniques that focus on torture-related stress disorder and that allow group members to attain gradual psychological reorganization.

Keywords: Adaptation, Psychological, Adolescence, Adult, Case Report, Female, Human, Male, Prisoners/psychology, Psychotherapy, Group/methods, Refugees/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/therapy, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Survival/psychology, Torture

PMID: 2305841

Psychological and Physical Long-term Effects of Torture. A Follow-up Examination of 22 Greek Persons Exposed to Torture 1967-1974 (further information available on the web)

Petersen HD, Abildgaard U, Daugaard G, Jess P, Marcussen H, Wallach M. No Affiliation Available. Scand J Soc Med 1985; 13(3):89-93.

Brief Description: A follow-up examination of Greeks who had been exposed to torture about 10 years earlier showed physical symptoms and chronic psychological symptoms. The article advocates that treatment of sequelae to torture be initiated as early as possible and that the effects of the treatment be studied.

Keywords: Adult, Disease/etiology, Female, Greece, Human, Male, Mental Disorders/psychology, Mental Disorders/etiology, Mental Disorders/diagnosis, Middle Age, Physical Examination, Stress, Psychological, Time Factors, Torture

PMID: 4023668

Psychological and Physical Symptoms After Torture. A Prospective Controlled Study. (further information available on the web)

Petersen HD, Jacobsen P. No Affiliation Available. *Forensic Sci Int* 1985 Nov; 29(3-4):179-189.

Brief Description: The effect of torture on health, using a group of alleged torture victims and a control group, found that the victims' health was inferior to that of the control persons. The most frequent symptoms were psychological.

Keywords: Adult, Comparative Study, Female, Health, Health Status, Human, Male, Mental Health, Prospective Studies, Spain, Torture

PMID: 4076950

Medical Examination of Torture Victims Applying for Refugee Status. (further information available on the web)

Cathcart LM, Berger P, Knazan B. No Affiliation Available. *Can Med Assoc J* 1979 Jul 21; 121(2):179-184.

Brief Description: Medical evidence may be sufficient to give some torture victims refugee status in Canada. This article presents protocols for physicians to use in examining applicants and reports on cases in which these protocols were followed.

Keywords: Aggression, Canada, Chile/ethnology, Human, Medical History Taking, Medical Records, Physical Examination, Refugees, Torture

PMID: 519593

Long-Term Health Outcomes and Medical Effects of Torture Among U.S. Navy Prisoners of War in Vietnam (further information available on the web)

Nice DS, Garland CF, Hilton SM, Baggett JC, Mitchell RE. Naval Health Research Center San Diego CA, *JAMA*. 1996 Aug 7; 276(5): 375-381.

Brief Description: This study compares incidence of illnesses and injuries in a group of former naval aviator POWs with that of a group of naval aviators who also served in Vietnam but were not POWs. According to findings, being a former POW is associated with increased incidence of disorders of the back, joints, and peripheral nervous system.

Keywords: Wounds And Injuries, Medical Examination, Prisoners Of War, Reprints, Naval Personnel, Stress(Physiology), Pilots, Naval Research, Mental Health, Physical Fitness, Survival(Personnel), Health Surveys, Joints(Anatomy), Vietnam, Spinal Column, Fatigue(Physiology), Ulcers, Gastrointestinal System, Peripheral Nervous System.

PMID: 8683815

Part I: Torture and mental health: a review of the literature. [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Laurence R. No Affiliation Available, Issues Ment Health Nurs 1992 Oct; 13(4):301-310.

Brief Description: This article gives an overview of torture and reviews literature that addresses mental health effects of torture. Topics include effects of torture on the individual and on the community, female torture victims, the ethics involved in studying torture victims, and the problems identifying a torture syndrome.

Keywords: Bioethics, Evaluation Studies, Female, Human, Male, Mental Health, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/etiology, Torture/psychology

PMID: 1478857

Victims of Torture [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Turner S, Van Velsen C. University College and Middlesex School of Medicine—London, Br J Hosp Med 1990 Nov; 44(5):345-346.

Brief Description: Two psychiatrists, from the Middlesex Hospital and the Medical Foundation for the Care of Victims of Torture, describe the nature and common sequelae of torture.

Keywords: Defense Mechanisms, Emotions, Human, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/therapy, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/psychology, Torture

PMID: 2276000

Torture and War Trauma Survivors in Primary Care Practice [\(further information available on the web\)](#)

Weinstein HM, Dansky L, Iacopino V. Survivors International, San Francisco, California—USA, West J Med 1996 Sep; 165(3):112-118.

Brief Description: This article gives guidance to primary care physicians in recognizing the clues to a history of torture, helping the patient describe the events, and diagnosing and treating the often obscure symptoms.

Keywords: Adult, Case Report, Family Practice, Female, Human, Medical History Taking, Refugees, Risk Factors, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/therapy, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/etiology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis,

Survivors, Torture, War, Wounds and Injuries/therapy, Wounds and Injuries/etiology, Wounds and Injuries/diagnosis

PMID: 8909162

Refugees & Torture (further information available on the web)

Sharpe I. Department of Health Sciences, Victoria University of Technology, Aust Nurs J 1996 Dec; 4(6):18-19.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Altruism, Australia, Ethics—Nursing, Human, Human Rights, Patient Advocacy, Refugees, Torture

PMID: 9025354

Torture-Related Injuries—A Medical Challenge. Diagnosis and Treatment of Falanga Victims. [Article in Norwegian] (further information available on the web)

Lie B, Skjeie H. Flyktningehelsetjenesten, Tordenskjolds gate 16, Kristiansand. Tidsskr Nor Laegeforen 1996 Mar 30; 116(9):1073-1075.

Brief Description: To help victims of torture, health professionals need to be familiar with the nature, sequelae, and treatment of the trauma. This article presents a clinical case history of a Falanga victim, showing how diagnosis and treatment of injuries dramatically affected the patient's physical and mental health.

Keywords: Case Report, English Abstract, Foot Injuries/therapy, Foot Injuries/etiology, Foot Injuries/diagnosis, Human, Male, Middle Age, Norway, Refugees/psychology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/rehabilitation, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/etiology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Torture, War, Yugoslavia/ethnology

PMID: 8658474

Torture Survivors Find Helping Hands Worldwide (further information available on the web)

Goldsmith MF. No Affiliation Available, JAMA 1992 Aug 5; 268(5):584.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Denmark, Human, Torture, United Nations, War Crimes

PMID: 1629976

Medical Education for the Prevention of Torture ([further information available on the web](#))

Sorensen B, Vesti P. Department of Plastic Surgery, Kobenhavns Kommunes Hvidovre Hospital—University of Copenhagen, Denmark. *Med Educ* 1990 Sep; 24(5):467-469.

Brief Description: The UN Convention Against Torture calls for all health professionals to be educated at the undergraduate level about ways to identify and treat victims of torture. The European Convention for the Prevention of Torture makes no such demands; however, its activities necessitate special postgraduate training of some persons.

Keywords: Curriculum, Education, Medical, Europe, Human, Legislation, Torture, United Nations

PMID: 2215301

Psychotherapy for Victims of Torture ([further information available on the web](#))

Wilson GL. Department of Psychology, Washington State University, Pullman 99164-4820. *Psychol Rep* 1990 Dec; 67(3 Pt 1):1027-1041.

Brief Description: This study evaluates treatment interventions that may alleviate depression among incarcerated felons. Its findings support the utility of depression-treatment programs.

Keywords: Adult, Antisocial Personality Disorder/therapy, Antisocial Personality Disorder/psychology, Cognitive Therapy/methods, Comparative Study, Depressive Disorder/therapy, Depressive Disorder/psychology, Follow-Up Studies, Human, Male, Middle Age, Personality Tests, Prisoners/psychology, Psychotherapy/methods, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't

PMID: 3779299

Psychological Effects of Torture: A Comparison of Tortured with Nontortured Political Activists in Turkey ([further information available on the web](#))

Basoglu M, Paker M, Paker O, Ozmen E, Marks I, Incesu C, Sahin D, Sarimurat N. Institute of Psychiatry, London, England. *Am J Psychiatry* 1994 Jan; 151(1):76-81.

Brief Description: This study compared a group of Turkish political activists who had been tortured with a closely matched control group. Findings indicate that torture has long-term psychological effects, which can be somewhat mitigated by such factors as preparedness for torture, strong commitment to a cause, and strong social supports.

Keywords: Adult, Age Factors, Comparative Study, Female, Human, Life Change Events, Male, Mental Disorders/etiology, Mental Disorders/epidemiology, Mental Disorders/diagnosis, Politics, Prisoners/psychology, Psychiatric Status Rating Scales,

Refugees/psychology, Severity of Illness Index, Social Class, Social Support, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/etiology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/epidemiology, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/diagnosis, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, Torture/psychology, Turkey/epidemiology

PMID: 8267139

Psychotherapy for Victims of Torture (further information available on the web)

Somnier FE, Genefke IK. No Affiliation Available. Br J Psychiatry 1986 Sep; 149:323-329.

Brief Description: Three groups of torture victims were studied to form a concept of psychotherapy for such victims.

Keywords: Adult, Anxiety/complications, Case Report, Human, Male, Mental Disorders/rehabilitation, Mental Disorders/physiopathology, Mental Disorders/etiology, Methods, Psychotherapy, Stress, Psychological/etiology, Support, Non-U. S. Gov't, Time Factors, Torture

PMID: 3779299

Refugee and Torture. Considerations in Victims of Torture. [Article in Dutch]
(further information available on the web)

Rietbergen J. No Affiliation Available. Tijdschr Ziekenverpl 1984 May 22; 37(11):332-335.

Brief Description: No description available

Keywords: Adult, Case Report, Female, Human, Male, Professional-Patient Relations, Refugees, Stress Disorders, Post-Traumatic/therapy, Torture

PMID: 6564807

Rehabilitation of Refugee Victims of Torture and Trauma: Principles and Service Provision in New South Wales. (further information available on the web)

Reid JC, Strong T. Department of Public Health, University of Sydney, NSW. Med J Aust 1988 Apr 4; 148(7):340-346.

Brief Description: A number of recent refugees arriving in New South Wales suffer from physical and psychological consequences of torture and other forms of organized violence. This article cites cases of such refugees and summarizes the recommendations for a community-based rehabilitation service for them.

Keywords: Health Services, Human, New South Wales, Psychotherapy, Refugees, Torture

PMID: 3367839

The Controlled Study of Torture Victims. Epidemiological Considerations and Some Future Aspects. (further information available on the web)

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